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FEE CALCULATION

1. BASIC FILING FEE

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1203	360	2203	180	Multiple dependent claim, if not paid	
1204	200	2204	100	** Reissue independent claims over original patent	
1205	50	2205	25	** Reissue claims in excess of 20 and over original patent	
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1051	130	2051	65	Surcharge - late filing fee or oath	
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1053	130	1053	130	Non-English specification	
1812	2,520	1812	2,520	For filing a request for reexamination	
1804	920*	1804	920*	Requesting publication of SIR prior to Examiner action	
1805	1,840*	1805	1,840*	Requesting publication of SIR after Examiner action	
1251	120	2251	60	Extension for reply within first month	
1252	450	2252	225	Extension for reply within second month	
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1401	500	2401	250	Notice of Appeal	
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1801	790	2801	395	Request for Continued Examination (RCE)	

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4. SEARCH/EXAMINATION FEES

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1314	600	2314	300	Reissue Examination Fee	
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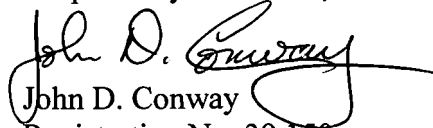
APPLICATION FOR PATENT TERM EXTENSION UNDER 35 U.S.C. §156

In support of the Application for Patent Term Extension of U.S. Patent No. 5,932,730,
Applicant submits the following:

1. PTE Application (being submitted as one original and two additional copies thereof)
2. Exhibits A-L
3. Duplicate Fee Transmittal Sheet

Applicant certifies that the two additional copies are identical to the original being
submitted.

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APPLICATION FOR PATENT TERM EXTENSION UNDER 35 U.S.C. §156

Abbott GmbH & Co. KG ("Applicant"), of Max-Planck-Ring 3, 65205 Wiesbaden, Germany, submits this application for extension of patent term of U.S. Patent No. 5,932,730 ("U.S. '730") under 35 U.S.C. §156. The relevant facts establishing the authority of Applicant to file this application for extension of patent term in accordance with 37 C.F.R. §1.730 are set forth below:

- On 23 October 1995, Hartmut Riechers, Dagmar Klinge, Wilhem Amberg, Andreas Kling, Stefan Müller, Ernst Baumann, Joachim Rheinheimer, Uwe Josef Vogelbacher, Wolfgang Wernet, Liliane Unger, and Manfred Raschack (inventors of the subject matter claimed in U.S. '730) assigned to BASF Aktiengesellschaft all right, title and interest in their invention. This assignment was recorded in the United States Patent and Trademark

Office on 27 March 1997 at Reel 008529, Frame 0731. A copy of this assignment is attached as Exhibit A-1.

- On 18 February 2003, BASF Aktiengesellschaft assigned to Abbott GmbH & Co. KG all right, title and interest in U.S. '730. This assignment was recorded in the United States Patent and Trademark Office on 21 February 2003 at Reel 013746, Frame 0941. A copy of this assignment is attached as Exhibit A-3.
- The Investigational New Drug application ("INDA") for ambrisentan was originally filed by Myogen, Inc. Effective on 17 November 2006, Myogen, Inc. was acquired by Gilead Sciences, Inc. ("Gilead") and became a wholly owned subsidiary known as Gilead Colorado, Inc. A copy of the New Drug application ("NDA") submission letter indicating this fact is attached as Exhibit B.
- Gilead is the exclusive licensee to U.S. '730.
- Gilead is the sponsor of the drug product, LETAIRIS™ (ambrisentan), for which the FDA granted regulatory approval and which forms the basis of this patent term extension. A copy of the approval letter is attached as Exhibit C.
- Applicant is authorized by Gilead to rely on its activities and the activities of its predecessor, Myogen, Inc., before the Food and Drug Administration ("FDA") for regulatory review activities. Gilead has executed a statement authorizing reliance by Applicant on such activities of Gilead. A copy of this statement is attached as Exhibit D.

The following information is submitted in accordance with 35 U.S.C. §156(d) and 37 C.F.R. §§1.740 to 1.741. The formal requirements of 37 C.F.R. §1.740 are specifically set out below.

1. Identification of Approved Product [37 C.F.R. §1.740(a)(1)]

The approved product is LETAIRIS™ (ambrisentan) 5 and 10 mg tablets for the treatment of pulmonary arterial hypertension (WHO Group 1) in patients with WHO class II or III symptoms to improve exercise capacity and delay clinical worsening. See the approved label for LETAIRIS™ tablets provided as Exhibit E. Ambrisentan is the active ingredient in LETAIRIS™ tablets. Ambrisentan is further identified as follows:

A. Chemical Name

The chemical name for ambrisentan is (+)-(2S)-2-[(4,6-dimethylpyrimidin-2-yl)oxy]-3-methoxy-3,3-diphenylpropanoic acid.

The CAS registry number for ambrisentan is 177036-94-1.

B. Generic Name

The generic name of the active ingredient in LETAIRIS™ tablets is ambrisentan. Ambrisentan is the U.S. Adopted Name (USAN) and International Nonproprietary Name (INN) for this compound.

C. Molecular Formula

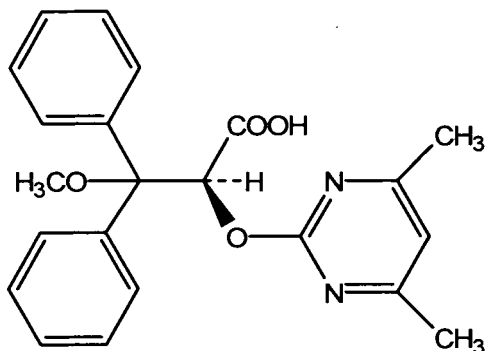
The molecular formula of ambrisentan is C₂₂H₂₂N₂O₄.

D. Molecular Weight

The molecular weight of ambrisentan is 378.42.

E. Structural Formula

The structural formula of ambrisentan is:



F. Product Ingredients

Ambrisentan is the active ingredient in LETAIRIS™ tablets, as provided in the approved label text attached as Exhibit E. As provided in Exhibit E, LETAIRIS™ tablets further contain the following inactive ingredients: lactose monohydrate, microcrystalline cellulose, croscarmellose sodium, and magnesium stearate. As further provided in Exhibit E, LETAIRIS™ tablets have a film coating containing FD&C Red #40 aluminum lake, lecithin, polyethylene glycol, polyvinyl alcohol, talc, and titanium dioxide.

2. **Federal Statute under which Regulatory Review Occurred [37 C.F.R. §1.740(a)(2)]**

The approved product, LETAIRIS™ tablets, was subject to regulatory review under Section 505(b)(1) of the Federal Food, Drug and Cosmetic Act (“FFDCA”), 21 U.S.C. §355(b)(1), as amended.

3. Date of Permission for Commercial Marketing [37 C.F.R. §1.740(a)(3)]

LETAIRIS™ product was approved by the FDA for commercial marketing pursuant to Section 505(b)(1) of the FFDCA on 15 June 2007. A copy of the letter from the FDA to Gilead, dated 15 June 2007, setting forth the approval of the product is attached as Exhibit C.

4. Identification of Active Ingredient and Certifications [37 C.F.R. §1.740(a)(4)]

- (a) The active ingredient of LETAIRIS™ is ambrisentan, (+)-(2S)-2-[(4,6-dimethylpyrimidin-2-yl)oxy]-3-methoxy-3,3-diphenylpropanoic acid, having the structure depicted in Section 1 above.
- (b) Ambrisentan has not been approved for commercial marketing or use under the FFDCA, the Public Health Service Act, or the Virus-Serum-Toxin Act, prior to the approval granted on 15 June 2007.
- (c) The use for which the product is approved is as follows: “LETAIRIS™ is indicated for the treatment of pulmonary arterial hypertension (WHO Group 1) in patients with WHO class II or III symptoms to improve exercise capacity and delay clinical worsening.” See the approved label for LETAIRIS™ tablets provided as Exhibit E.

5. Statement of Timely Filing [37 C.F.R. §1.740(a)(5)]

The present application for extension of patent term is being submitted within the sixty-day period permitted for submission under 37 C.F.R. §1.720(f). The FDA approved commercial marketing and use of the approved product, LETAIRIS™ tablets, on 15 June 2007. The sixty-day submission period ends on 13 August 2007. As demonstrated by the signed Certificate of Hand-Delivery, this application for extension of patent term is timely submitted.

6. Identification of Patent for which Extension is Sought [37 C.F.R. §1.740(a)(6)]

U.S. Patent No: 5,932,730

Title: CARBOXYLIC ACID DERIVATIVES, THEIR
PREPARATION AND USE

Issue Date: 3 August 1999

Expiration Date: 7 October 2015

Application No.: 08/809,699

Application Filing Date: 7 October 1995 (§371 Date: 27 March 1997)

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Patent Owner: Abbott GmbH & Co. KG

7. Patent Copy [37 C.F.R. §1.740(a)(7)]

A copy of U.S. '730, the patent for which extension is being requested, is attached as Exhibit F. This copy contains the entire specification (including claims). There are no drawings in U.S. '730.

8. Disclaimer and Post-Issuance Activity Statement [37 C.F.R. §1.740(a)(8)]

- (a) No Disclaimer has been submitted in U.S. '730.
- (b) Three separate requests for Certificate of Correction were filed on 27 August 1999, 12 June 2000 and 25 March 2002.
- (c) The request for Certificate of Correction filed on 27 August 1999 was approved on 6 March 2000 (part of the subject matter of the request has not been signed

and sealed). A copy of the approved request for Certificate of Correction and the signed and sealed Certificate dated 4 April 2000 is attached as Exhibit G-1.

- (d) The request for Certificate of Correction filed on 12 June 2000 was approved on 23 October 2000 (the subject matter of the request has not been signed and sealed). A copy of the approved request for Certificate of Correction is attached as Exhibit G-2.
- (e) The request for Certificate of Correction filed on 25 March 2002 was approved on 5 September 2002. A copy of the approved request for Certificate of Correction and the signed and sealed Certificate dated 8 October 2002 is attached as Exhibit G-3.
- (f) U.S.'730 has not been subject to a Reexamination Proceeding.
- (g) The first and second maintenance fees for U.S.'730 were paid on 30 December 2002 and 18 December 2006, respectively. A copy of the maintenance fee statement showing timely payment of all necessary maintenance fees is attached as Exhibit G-4.

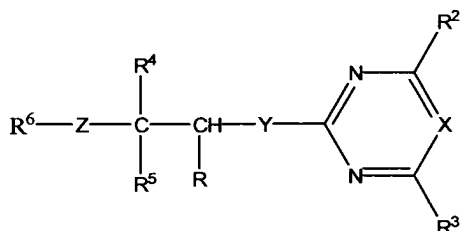
9. Statement Showing How the Claims of the Patent Cover the Approved Product [37 C.F.R. §1.740(a)(9)]

The statements in this section are provided solely to comply with the requirements of 37 C.F.R. § 1.740(a)(9). These comments are not an assertion or an admission by the applicant as to the scope of the listed claims, or as to whether or how any of the listed claims would be infringed, literally or under the doctrine of equivalents, by the manufacture, use, sale, offer for sale or the importation of any product.

U.S. '730 has compound-per-se claims related to the approved product. Each applicable patent claim is set forth below (as corrected in the Certificate of Corrections signed and sealed on 4 April 2000 and 8 October 2002) together with a showing of the manner in which each applicable patent claim reads on the approved product. The elements of the claims which embrace LETAIRIS™ product are shown in bold for convenience.

Claim 1

A compound of the formula I

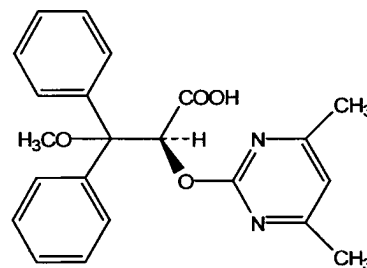


where **R** is formyl, tetrazole, nitrile, a **COOH group** or a radical which can be hydrolyzed to COOH, and the other substituents have the following meanings:

R² hydrogen, hydroxyl, NH₂, NH(C₁-C₄-alkyl), N(C₁-C₄-alkyl)₂, halogen, **C₁-C₄-alkyl**, C₁-C₄-haloalkyl, C₁-C₄-alkoxy, C₁-C₄-haloalkoxy or C₁-C₄-alkylthio;

X CR¹⁴ where **R¹⁴** is hydrogen or C₁-C₅-alkyl (as corrected);

Ambrisentan



R is carboxyl (COOH, which is the same as CO₂H)

R² is methyl (CH₃), which is a C₁ alkyl group

X is CH (wherein R¹⁴ is hydrogen)

R³ hydrogen, hydroxyl, NH₂, NH(C₁-C₄-alkyl), N(C₁-C₄-alkyl)₂, halogen, **C₁-C₄-alkyl**, C₁-C₄-haloalkyl, C₁-C₄-alkoxy, C₁-C₄-haloalkoxy, NH-O-C₁-C₄-alkyl, C₁-C₄-alkylthio or CR³ is linked to CR¹⁴ as indicated above to give a 5- or 6-membered ring;

R³ is methyl (CH₃), which is a C₁ alkyl group

R⁴ and R⁵, which can be identical or different, are **phenyl** or **naphthyl**, which can be substituted by one or more of the following radicals: halogen, nitro, cyano, hydroxyl, C₁-C₄-alkyl, C₁-C₄-haloalkyl, C₁-C₄-alkoxy, C₁-C₄-haloalkoxy, phenoxy, C₁-C₄-alkylthio, amino, C₁-C₄-alkylamino or C₁-C₄-dialkylamino; or **phenyl** or **naphthyl**, which are connected together in the ortho position via a direct linkage, a methylene, ethylene or ethenylene group, an oxygen or sulfur atom or an SO₂, NH or N-alkyl group; or C₃-C₇-cycloalkyl;

R⁴ and R⁵ are phenyl, with no substitutions

R⁶ hydrogen, **C₁-C₈ -alkyl**, C₃-C₆-alkenyl, C₃-C₆-alkynyl or C₃-C₈-cycloalkyl, where each of these radicals can be substituted one or more times by: halogen, nitro, cyano, C₁-C₄-alkoxy, C₃-C₆-alkenyloxy, C₃-C₆ -alkynyloxy, C₁-C₄-alkylthio, C₁-C₄-haloalkoxy, C₁-C₄-alkylcarbonyl, C₁-C₄ -alkoxycarbonyl, C₃-C₈-alkylcarbonylalkyl, C₁-C₄-alkylamino, di-C₁-C₄-alkylamino, **phenyl** or **phenoxy** which is substituted one or more times by halogen, nitro, cyano, C₁-C₄-alkyl, C₁-C₄-haloalkyl, C₁-C₄ -alkoxy, C₁-C₄ -haloalkoxy or C₁ -C₄ -alkylthio;

R⁶ is methyl (CH₃), which is a C₁ alkyl group, with no substitutions

phenyl or **naphthyl**, each of which can be substituted by one or more of the following radicals: halogen, nitro, cyano, hydroxyl, amino, C₁-C₄-alkyl, C₁-C₄-haloalkyl, C₁-C₄ -alkoxy, C₁-C₄-haloalkoxy, phenoxy, C₁-C₄-alkylthio, C₁-C₄-alkylamino, C₁-C₄-dialkylamino or dioxomethylene or dioxoethylene;

a five or six-membered heteroaromatic moiety containing one to three nitrogen atoms and/or one sulfur or oxygen atom, which can carry one to four halogen atoms and/or one or two of the following radicals: C₁-C₄-alkyl, C₁-C₄-haloalkyl, C₁-C₄-alkoxy, C₁-C₄-haloalkoxy, C₁-C₄-alkylthio, phenyl, phenoxy or phenylcarbonyl, it being possible for the phenyl radicals in turn to carry one to five halogen atoms and/or one to three of the following radicals: C₁-C₄-alkyl, C₁-C₄-haloalkyl, C₁-C₄-alkoxy, C₁-C₄-haloalkoxy and/or C₁-C₄-alkylthio;

Y sulfur or oxygen or a single bond;	Y is oxygen
Z sulfur, oxygen, -SO- or -SO ₂ -.	Z is oxygen

Claim 1 embraces the active ingredient of the approved product, LETAIRIS™ tablets. LETAIRIS™ tablets contain ambrisentan, which is a compound of formula I as recited above.

Claim 2

The compound of the formula I as defined in claim 1, wherein X is CR¹⁴ and R¹⁴ is hydrogen.

Claim 2 embraces the active ingredient of the approved product, LETAIRIS™ tablets. LETAIRIS™ tablets contain ambrisentan, which is a compound of formula I wherein X is CR¹⁴ and R¹⁴ is hydrogen. Claim 2 is dependent on Claim 1, therefore Claim 2 incorporates by reference all of the moieties for each of the respective substituents.

Claim 3

The compound of the formula I as defined in claim 2, wherein R is CO₂H.

Claim 3 embraces the active ingredient of the approved product, LETAIRIS™ tablets. LETAIRIS™ tablets contain ambrisentan, which is a compound of formula I wherein R is CO₂H. Claim 3 is indirectly dependent on Claim 1, therefore Claim 3 incorporates by reference all of the moieties for each of the respective substituents.

Claim 5

The compound of the formula I as defined in claim 2, wherein R⁴ and R⁵ each is phenyl.

Claim 5 embraces the active ingredient of the approved product, LETAIRIS™ tablets. LETAIRIS™ tablets contain ambrisentan, which is a compound of formula I wherein R⁴ and R⁵ each is phenyl. Claim 5 is indirectly dependent on Claim 1, therefore Claim 5 incorporates by reference all of the moieties for each of the respective substituents.

Claim 6

The compound of the formula I as defined in claim 2, wherein R⁶ is C₁–C₈-alkyl.

Claim 6 embraces the active ingredient of the approved product, LETAIRIS™ tablets. LETAIRIS™ tablets contain ambrisentan, which is a compound of formula I wherein R⁶ is embraced by C₁–C₈-alkyl, as R⁶ is methyl. Claim 6 is indirectly dependent on Claim 1, therefore Claim 6 incorporates by reference all of the moieties for each of the respective substituents.

Claim 7

The compound of the formula I as defined in claim 2, wherein Y is oxygen.

Claim 7 embraces the active ingredient of the approved product, LETAIRIS™ tablets. LETAIRIS™ tablets contain ambrisentan, which is a compound of formula I wherein Y is oxygen. Claim 7 is indirectly dependent on Claim 1, therefore Claim 7 incorporates by reference all of the moieties for each of the respective substituents.

Claim 8

The compound of the formula I as defined in claim 2, wherein Z is oxygen or sulfur.

Claim 8 embraces the active ingredient of the approved product, LETAIRIS™ tablets. LETAIRIS™ tablets contain ambrisentan, which is a compound of formula I wherein Z is

oxygen. Claim 8 is indirectly dependent on Claim 1, therefore Claim 8 incorporates by reference all of the moieties for each of the respective substituents.

Claim 9

The compound of the formula I as defined in claim 8, wherein Z is oxygen.

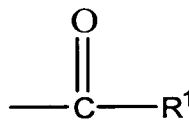
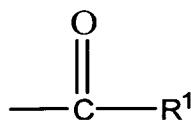
Claim 9 embraces the active ingredient of the approved product, LETAIRIS™ tablets. LETAIRIS™ tablets contain ambrisentan, which is a compound of formula I wherein Z is oxygen. Claim 9 is indirectly dependent on Claim 1, therefore Claim 9 incorporates by reference all of the moieties for each of the respective substituents.

Claim 11

The compound of the formula I as defined in claim 1, wherein R is tetrazole, nitrile or a group

Ambrisentan

R is



where R¹ has the following meanings: . . .

R¹ is OH (OR¹⁰ where R¹⁰ is hydrogen)

f) a radical OR¹⁰, where R¹⁰ is:

i) hydrogen,....

Claim 11 embraces the active ingredient of the approved product, LETAIRIS™ tablets. LETAIRIS™ tablets contain ambrisentan, which is a compound of formula I as recited above. Claim 11 is dependent on Claim 1, therefore Claim 11 incorporates by reference all of the moieties for each of the respective substituents.

Therefore, as demonstrated above, Claims 1, 2, 3, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9 and 11 of U.S. '730 read on the approved product, LETAIRIS™ tablets.

**10. Statement of Relevant Dates to Determine the Regulatory Review Period
[37 C.F.R. §1.740(a)(10)]**

The relevant dates and information pursuant to 35 U.S.C. §156(g), in order to enable the Secretary of Health and Human Services to determine the applicable regulatory review period, are as follows:

(a) *Patent Issue Date*

U.S. '730 was issued on **3 August 1999**.

(b) *IND Effective Date [§ 1.740(a)(10)(i)(A)]*

The IND for the approved product, LETAIRIS™ tablets, was submitted to the FDA on 3 June 2002. A copy of the letter transmitting the IND to the FDA is attached as Exhibit H. The FDA accorded the IND a date of receipt of 4 June 2002, and the IND was assigned number 64,915 ("IND 64,915"). A copy of the letter from the FDA acknowledging receipt of IND 64,915 is attached as Exhibit I. Accordingly, IND 64,915 became effective on **4 July 2002**.

(c) *NDA Submission Date [§ 1.740(a)(10)(i)(B)]*

The NDA for the approved product, LETAIRIS™ tablets, was submitted to the FDA on 13 December 2006. A copy of the letter transmitting the NDA to the FDA is attached as Exhibit B. The FDA accorded the NDA a date of receipt of 18 December 2006, and the NDA was assigned number 22-081 ("NDA 22-081"). A copy of the letter from the FDA acknowledging receipt of NDA 22-081 is attached as Exhibit J. Accordingly, NDA 22-081 became effective on **18 December 2006**.

(d) *NDA Approval Date [§ 1.740(a)(10)(i)(C)]*

NDA 22-081 was approved by the FDA on **15 June 2007**. A copy of the approval letter from the FDA to Gilead is attached as Exhibit C.

**11. Brief Description of Activities Undertaken During the Regulatory Review Period
[37 C.F.R. §1.740(a)(11)]**

A description of significant activities undertaken by the marketing applicant, Gilead through Myogen, Inc. (now Gilead Colorado, Inc. a wholly owned subsidiary of Gilead), during the applicable regulatory review period with respect to the approved product and the significant dates applicable to such activities are set forth in Exhibit K. Exhibit K is divided into two parts as follows: (K-1) IND 64,915 Chronology and (K-2) NDA 22-081 Chronology.

12. Opinion of Eligibility for Extension [37 C.F.R. §1.740(a)(12)]

In the opinion of Applicant, U.S. '730 is eligible for patent term extension under the provisions of 35 U.S.C. §156. Specifically, Applicant believes that the requirements of 35 U.S.C. §156 for an extension of patent term are satisfied as follows:

(1) Patent with Eligible Subject Matter [35 U.S.C. §156(a)]

The patent claims embrace the active ingredient of LETAIRIS™ tablets.

(2) Non-expiration of Patent Term [35 U.S.C. §156(a)(1)]

The term of U.S. '730 expires on 7 October 2015, based on a term which is 20 years from the filing date of the patent application. Therefore, this application has been submitted before the expiration of the patent term.

(3) No Prior Patent Term extension [35 U.S.C. §156(a)(2)]

The term of U.S. '730 has never been extended.

(4) Owner or Agent [35 U.S.C. §156(a)(3)]

The present application for extension is submitted by the owner of record, Abbott GmbH & Co. KG in accordance with the requirements of 35 U.S.C. §156(d).

(5) Regulatory Review [35 U.S.C. §156(a)(4)]

The approved product was subject to a regulatory review period under Section 505(b)(1) of the FDCA before its commercial marketing or use (see Exhibits B and H).

(6) First Marketing Approval [35 U.S.C. §156(a)(5)(A)]

The permission for commercial marketing of LETAIRIS™ tablets is the first permitted commercial marketing of ambrisentan.

(7) No Extension of Other Patent [35 U.S.C. §156(c)(4)]

No other patent has been extended for the same regulatory review period for the approved product, LETAIRIS™ tablets.

STATEMENT AS TO LENGTH OF EXTENSION CLAIMED

The extension period of U.S. '730, as calculated below, is **995 days** from the original patent term (7 October 2015) to **28 June 2018**.

Regulatory review period [§1.775(c)]

IND phase [§1.775(c)(1)]

The number of days in the period beginning on the date an exemption under FDCA §505(i) became effective for the approved product (4 July 2002) and ending on the date an NDA was initially submitted under FDCA §505 (18 December 2006)	1629 days
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NDA phase [§ 1.775(c)(2)]

The number of days in the period beginning on the date the application was initially submitted for the approved product under FDCA §505 (18 December 2006) and ending on the date the NDA was approved (15 June 2007)	180 days
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Total regulatory review period	<u>1809 days</u>
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Subtractions and limitations [§1.775(d)]

Reduction for regulatory review before patent grant [§1.775(d)(1)(i)]

The number of days in the periods of §1.775(c)(1) (IND phase) and (c)(2) (NDA phase) on or before the date the patent issued (3 August 1999)	0 days
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Reduction for lack of due diligence [§1.775(d)(1)(ii)]

The number of days in the periods of §1.775(c)(1) (IND phase) and (c)(2) (NDA phase) during which the applicant did not act with due diligence	0 days
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Net subtraction

One-half the number of days remaining in the period of §1.775 (c)(1) (IND phase) after the reductions above	814 days
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Net preliminary term extension [§1.775(d)(1)]	<u>995 days</u>
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Fourteen Year Comparison [§1.775(d)(2)-(4)]

The new expiration date of U.S. '730 with the 995 day extension determined above is 28 June 2018 which is earlier than 15 June 2021, fourteen years from the approval date of NDA 22-081 (15 June 2007).

Five Year Comparison [§1.775(d)(5)]

The 995 day extension calculated above does not exceed five years.

Accordingly, it is respectfully requested that the term of U.S. '730 be extended **995 days** from the original patent term (7 October 2015) to: **28 June 2018**.

13. Duty of Disclosure [37 C.F.R. §1.740(a)(13)]

Applicant acknowledges a duty to disclose to the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks and Secretary of Health and Human Services any information that is material to the determination of entitlement to the extension sought, particularly as that duty is defined in 37 C.F.R. §1.765.

Applicant advises that it is concurrently filing applications under 35 U.S.C. §156 and 37 C.F.R. §1.140, based on the Regulatory Review period for LETAIRIS product, to extend terms of following patents:

- U.S. Patent No. 5,703,017;
- U.S. Patent No. 5,840,722;
- U.S. Patent No. 5,932,730; and
- U.S. Patent No. 7,109,205.

Applicant will, during co-pendency of these four applications, elect one of the four applications to proceed to grant, and will withdraw the remaining three pending applications.

14. Fee Charge [37 C.F.R. §1.740(a)(14)]

The Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks is authorized to charge the prescribed \$1,120.00 fee set forth in 37 C.F.R. §1.20(j) for receiving and acting upon this application for extension of patent term, together with any additional fees that may be required during the entire pendency of this application for extension of patent term, to Deposit Account No. 01-0025. A Fee Transmittal (PTO/SB/17) expressly authorizing the charging of fees to Deposit Account No. 01-0025 in this matter is being submitted in duplicate with the pending application for extension of patent term.

15. Correspondence Address [37 C.F.R. §1.740(a)(15)]

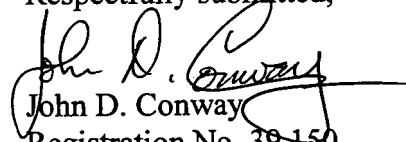
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The present application of extension of patent term for U.S. '730 is being submitted as one original and two additional copies thereof.

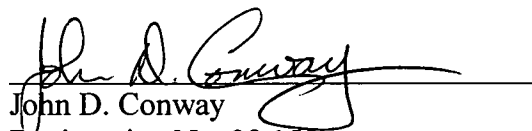
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The undersigned certifies that one original and two duplicate copies of this APPLICATION FOR EXTENSION OF PATENT TERM UNDER 35 U.S.C. §156 (including all Exhibits and supporting papers) are being hand-delivered this 7th day of August 2007, to "Attention: Mary C. Till, Office of Patent Legal Administration, Room MDW 7D55, 600 Dulany Street (Madison Building), Alexandria, VA 22314", United States Patent and Trademark Office.


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In re: U.S. Patent No. 5,932,730

Title: CARBOXYLIC ACID DERIVATIVES, THEIR PREPARATION AND USE

Issue Date: 3 August 1999

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APPLICATION FOR EXTENSION OF PATENT TERM UNDER 35 U.S.C. §156
EXHIBIT LIST

Exhibit A: Chain of Title/Ownership Recordation

- A-1: Assignment #1
- A-2: Security Agreement
- A-3: Assignment #2
- A-4: Release of Security Interest #1
- A-5: Release of Security Interest #2

Exhibit B: Copy of letter transmitting NDA 22-081 to the FDA

Exhibit C: FDA approval letter of NDA 22-081 to Gilead Sciences, Inc.

Exhibit D: Statement of Reliance

Exhibit E: Approved label for LETAIRIS™ tablets

Exhibit F: Copy of US Patent No. 5,932,730

Exhibit G: Post-Issuance Activity Documents

- G-1: Copy of approved request for Certificate of Correction filed on 27 August 1999 and the signed and sealed Certificate dated 4 April 2000
- G-2: Copy of approved request for Certificate of Correction filed on 12 June 2000
- G-3: Copy of approved request for Certificate of Correction filed on 25 March 2002 and the signed and sealed Certificate dated 8 October 2002
- G-4: Copy of maintenance fee statement

Exhibit H: Copy of letter transmitting IND 64,915 to the FDA

- Exhibit I: Copy of letter from the FDA acknowledging receipt of IND 64,915
- Exhibit J: Copy of letter from the FDA acknowledging receipt of NDA 22-081
- Exhibit K: Description of significant activities
- K-1 IND 64,915 Chronology
- K-2 NDA 22-081 Chronology
- Exhibit L: Calculation of Length of Patent Term Extension for a Human Drug Product

EXHIBIT

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US Patent 5,932,730

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Myogen, Inc. to GATX Ventures, Inc. and Silicon Valley Bank
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have invented certain new and useful improvements in

New carboxylic acid derivatives, their preparation and their use

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preparatory to obtaining Letters Patent of the United States therefor; and

WHEREAS, BASF Aktiengesellschaft, having a place of business at 67056 Ludwigshafen, Federal Republic of Germany, is desirous of acquiring said invention and application and the exclusive right in and to the Letters Patent to be granted therefor;

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of the sum of One Dollar (\$1.00) to us in hand paid, the receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged, and other valuable consideration, we, the said

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have sold, assigned and transferred, and by these presents do sell, assign and transfer unto said BASF Aktiengesellschaft the full and exclusive right to the said invention and application and the entire right, title and interest in and to any and all Letters Patent which may be granted therefor, and in and to any and all divisions, reissues, continuations and extensions thereof.

We hereby authorize and request the Commissioner of Patents to issue the said Letters Patent, when granted, to said BASF Aktiengesellschaft, as the assignee of our entire right, title and interest in and to the same, for the sole use and behoof of said BASF Aktiengesellschaft, its successors and assigns.

FURTHER, we agree that we will communicate to said BASF Aktiengesellschaft, or its representatives, any facts known to us respecting said invention, and testify in any legal proceeding, sign all lawful papers, execute all divisional, continuation, substitution, renewal and reissue applications, make all rightful oaths and generally do everything possible to aid said BASF Aktiengesellschaft, its successors and assigns to obtain and enforce proper protection for said invention in the United States.

The undersigned hereby grant(s) the firm of Messrs. Kell & Weiskopf, 1101 Connecticut Ave., N. W., Washington, D. C. 20036 the power to insert on this assignment any further identification, including the application number and filing date, which

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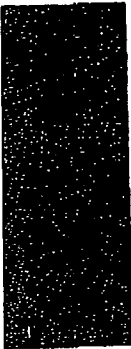
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MYOG:020-USC1	1/29/2001	09/772,503	U.S.		
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GRANT OF SECURITY INTEREST**PATENTS**

THIS GRANT OF SECURITY INTEREST, dated as of December 6, 2002, is executed by MYOGEN, INC., a Delaware corporation ("Debtor"), in favor of GATX VENTURES, INC. and SILICON VALLEY BANK (collectively, "Secured Party").

A. Pursuant to a Venture Loan and Security Agreement, dated on or about the date hereof (the "Agreement") among Debtor and the Secured Party, the Secured Party has agreed to extend certain credit facilities to Debtor upon the terms and subject to the conditions set forth therein;

B. Debtor owns the letters patent and/or applications for letters patent, of the United States, more particularly described on Schedules 1-A and 1-B annexed hereto as part hereof (collectively, the "Patents");

C. Pursuant to the Agreement, Debtor has granted to Secured Party a security interest in all right, title and interest of Debtor in and to the Patents, together with any reissue, continuation, continuation-in-part or extension thereof, and all proceeds thereof, including any and all causes of action which may exist by reason of infringement thereof for the full term of the Patents (the "Collateral"), to secure the prompt payment, performance and observance of the Obligations, as defined in the Agreement;

NOW, THEREFORE, for good and valuable consideration, receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, Debtor does hereby further grant to Secured Party a security interest in the Collateral to secure the prompt payment, performance and observance of the Obligations.

Debtor does hereby further acknowledge and affirm that the rights and remedies of Secured Party with respect to the security interest in the Collateral granted hereby are more fully set forth in the Agreement, the terms and provisions of which are hereby incorporated herein by reference as if fully set forth herein.

Secured Party' address is:

GATX Ventures, Inc.
3687 Mount Diablo Blvd., Suite 200
Lafayette, California 94549

With a copy to:

GATX Ventures, Inc.
16 Munson Road
Farmington, CT 06032

Silicon Valley Bank
4410 Arapahoe, Suite 200
Boulder, CO 80303

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, Debtor has caused this instrument to be executed as of the day and year first written above.

MYOGEN, INC.

By: 

Name: Joseph L. Turner

Title: Vice President, Finance and Administration
and Chief Financial Officer

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ASSIGNMENT

WHEREAS, BASF Aktiengesellschaft ("Assignor"), a German corporation with offices at 67056 Ludwigshafen, Germany, is the owner of the entire right, title and interest to the patents, patent (the "Patents") listed in Schedule A annexed hereto and made a part hereof; and

WHEREAS, Abbott GmbH & Co. KG ("Assignee"), a German corporation with offices at Knollstrasse Ludwigshafen, Germany, is desirous of acquiring the entire right, title and interest in and to the Patents listed in Schedule A annexed hereto.

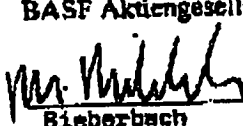
NOW, THEREFORE, for good and valuable consideration, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, and intending to be legally bound hereby, Assignor hereby assigns and transfers to Assignee the entire right, title and interest in and to the Patents, including, but not limited to, all reissues, divisions, continuations and extensions of the Patents, all rights of action arising from the patents, all claims for damages by reason of past infringement of the Patents and the right to sue and collect damages for such infringement, to be held and enjoyed by the Assignee for its own use and benefit and for its successors and assigns as the same would have been held by Assignor had this Assignment not been made.

Dated:

February 18, 2003

By:

BASF Aktiengesellschaft


Bieberbach
Meyer

Title:

Directors

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To the Director of the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office: Please record the attached documents or the new address(es) below.

1. Name of conveying party(ies):

Silicon Valley Bank

2. Name and address of receiving party(ies): Myogen, Inc.

Name: Myogen, Inc.

Internal Address:

Street Address: 7575 W 103rd Ave., Suite 102

City: Westminster

State: Colorado

Country: USA

Zip: 80021

Additional name(s) of conveying party(ies) attached? ☐ Yes ☒ No

3. Nature of conveyance/Execution Date(s): 01/10/2006

Execution Date: 01/11/2006

- ☐ Assignment ☐ Merger
☐ Security Agreement ☐ Change of Name
☐ Joint Research Agreement
☐ Government Interest Assignment
☐ Executive Order 9424, Confirmatory License
☒ Other Release

Additional name(s) & address(es) attached? ☐ Yes ☒ No

4. Application or patent number(s):

☐ This document is being filed together with a new application.

A. Patent Application No.(s)

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Additional numbers attached? ☐ Yes ☐ No

5. Name and address of party to whom correspondence concerning document should be mailed:

Name: Silicon Valley Bank

Internal Address: Loan Collateral HF154

Street Address: 3003 Tasman Drive

City: Santa Clara

State: CA

Zip: 95054

Phone Number: (408) 654-4042

Fax Number: (408) 654-6313

Email Address: ldc@svbank.com

6. Total number of applications and patents involved: 23

7. Total fee (37 CFR 1.21 (h) & 3.41) \$920.00

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GRANT OF SECURITY INTEREST**PATENTS**

THIS GRANT OF SECURITY INTEREST, dated as of December 6, 2002, is executed by MYOGEN, INC., a Delaware corporation ("Debtor"), in favor of GATX VENTURES, INC. and SILICON VALLEY BANK (collectively, "Secured Party").

A. Pursuant to a Venture Loan and Security Agreement, dated on or about the date hereof (the "Agreement") among Debtor and the Secured Party, the Secured Party has agreed to extend certain credit facilities to Debtor upon the terms and subject to the conditions set forth therein;

B. Debtor owns the letters patent and/or applications for letters patent, of the United States, more particularly described on Schedules 1-A and 1-B annexed hereto as part hereof (collectively, the "Patents");

C. Pursuant to the Agreement, Debtor has granted to Secured Party a security interest in all right, title and interest of Debtor in and to the Patents, together with any reissue, continuation, continuation-in-part or extension thereof, and all proceeds thereof, including any and all causes of action which may exist by reason of infringement thereof for the full term of the Patents (the "Collateral"), to secure the prompt payment, performance and observance of the Obligations, as defined in the Agreement;

NOW, THEREFORE, for good and valuable consideration, receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, Debtor does hereby further grant to Secured Party a security interest in the Collateral to secure the prompt payment, performance and observance of the Obligations.

Debtor does hereby further acknowledge and affirm that the rights and remedies of Secured Party with respect to the security interest in the Collateral granted hereby are more fully set forth in the Agreement, the terms and provisions of which are hereby incorporated herein by reference as if fully set forth herein.

Secured Party' address is:

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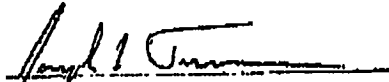
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IN WITNESS WHEREOF, Debtor has caused this instrument to be executed as of the day and year first written above.

MYOGEN, INC.

By:


Name: Joseph L. Turner

Title: Vice President, Finance and Administration
and Chief Financial Officer

SCHEDULE 1-A TO GRANT OF SECURITY INTERESTPATENTS

<u>PATENTS</u>	<u>Filing Date</u>	<u>App. No.</u>	<u>Country</u>	<u>Pat. No.</u>	<u>Issue Date</u>
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SCHEDULE I-B TO GRANT OF SECURITY INTERESTPATENT APPLICATIONS

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UTSD:729-US	11/7/2001	10/045,594	U.S.		
UTSD:803-US	5/30/2002	10/159,971	U.S.		

**RELEASE OF SECURITY AGREEMENT COVERING
INTERESTS IN PATENTS**

Silicon Valley Bank ("Secured Party"), hereby releases its security interest in the interests of Myogen, Inc. ("Assignor") in the patented works set forth in that certain Grant Of Security Interest dated December 6, 2002, executed by Assignor in favor of Secured Party recorded with the United States Department of Commerce, Patent and Trademark Office on January 6, 2003, Reel 013616, Frame(s) 0001

Dated: **January 11, 2006**

SILICON VALLEY BANK

By: Maribel Higareda
Name: Maribel Higareda
Title: Operations Supervisor

PATENT ASSIGNMENT

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SUBMISSION TYPE:	NPW ASSIGNMENT
NATURE OF CONVEYANCE:	RELEASE BY SECURED PARTY
CONVEYING PARTY DATA	
Name	Execution Date
GATX Ventures, Inc. and Silicon Valley Bank	01/13/2006
RECEIVING PARTY DATA	
Name:	Myogen, Inc.
Street Address:	7575 West 103rd Avenue, #102
City:	Westminster
State/Country:	CO,ORADO
Postal Code:	80021
PROPERTY NUMBERS Total: 28	
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Patent Number:	6218597
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CORRESPONDENCE DATA

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Correspondence will be sent via US Mail when the fax attempt is unsuccessful.

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Email: bschoenfeld@kkafirm.com
Correspondent Name: Brad Schoenfeld
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Address Line 4: Denver, CO 80202

NAME OF SUBMITTER:	Brad Schoenfeld
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**TERMINATION
OF
SECURITY INTEREST IN PATENTS**

This Termination of Security Interest in Patents (the "Termination") is executed by GATX VENTURES, INC. as Agent for GATX VENTURES, INC. and SILICON VALLEY BANK (the "Secured Parties"), in favor of MYOGEN, INC., a Delaware corporation (the "Debtor"), and is effective as of January 13, 2006.

RECITALS

- A. Debtor and the Secured Party entered into a certain Venture Loan and Security Agreement, dated as of December 26, 2002 (the "Agreement").
- B. The Grant of Security Interest in Patents, relating to the Agreement, was filed with the Patent and Trademark Office on January 6, 2003, at Reel 013616, Frame 0001.
- C. Debtor has repaid all amounts due under the Agreement.

The Secured Parties therefore expressly terminate their security interest in the Collateral, including without limitation, the patents and patent applications listed on Schedule 1-A and 1-B attached hereto.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, this Termination is executed as of the date first above written.

GATX VENTURES, INC., as Agent

By: Mary Keating
Name: MARY KEATING
Title: VICE PRESIDENT

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U.S. Grant of Security Interest (continued) for (1999)

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EXHIBIT B



Linnea Tanner
Director, Regulatory Affairs

13 December 2006

Norman L. Stockbridge, M.D., Ph.D.
Director
Division of Cardiovascular and Renal Products
Food and Drug Administration
Center for Drug Evaluation & Research
Central Document Room
5901-B Ammendale Rd.
Beltsville, MD 20705-1266

Subject: **NDA 22-081 (022081-0000)**
LETAIRIS™ (ambrisentan) Tablets

NEW DRUG APPLICATION
Original Submission

Dear Dr. Stockbridge:

Pursuant to the Paragraph 505(b)(1) of the Federal Food, Drug and Cosmetic Act (the ACT) and 21 CFR 314.50, Gilead Sciences, Inc. (Gilead) hereby submits a New Drug Application (NDA) for LETAIRIS (ambrisentan) Tablets, 5 and 10 mg. Ambrisentan is a non-sulfonamide, propanoic acid-class, endothelin receptor antagonist (ERA) that is selective for the endothelin type A (ET_A) receptor. LETAIRIS is indicated for the treatment of pulmonary arterial hypertension (WHO Group 1) to improve exercise capacity, delay clinical worsening and improve symptoms.

Myogen, Inc. was acquired by Gilead Sciences, Inc. and became a wholly owned subsidiary known as Gilead Colorado, Inc., effective November 17, 2006. Thus, the NDA applicant is Gilead Sciences, Inc., which assumes all the responsibilities and obligations of the NDA. However, the name Myogen, Inc. is used throughout the NDA for historical reasons and because of the timing of acquisition.

Request for Priority Review

Ambrisentan was granted Fast Track designation for the treatment of pulmonary arterial hypertension (PAH) on February 15, 2006; therefore, we request that this application be given priority review. PAH is a rare, serious and life-threatening disease for which there is no cure. Although there are other therapies currently approved for this disease, there still is an unmet medical need for the treatment of PAH. LETAIRIS is an alternative, therapeutic option for these patients that has the potential to provide significant benefit over currently authorized therapies for the following reasons:

Confidentiality Statement

The confidential information contained in this document is the property of Gilead Sciences, Inc. Your acceptance of this document constitutes agreement that you will not disclose the information contained herein to others without written authorization from Gilead Sciences, Inc.

- Improved effects on exercise capacity, an efficacy measure that has been shown to correlate with and be prognostic of long-term survival
- Significant delay of the clinical worsening of PAH, an efficacy measure of disease progression in this ultimately fatal disease
- Improved effects on symptoms associated with PAH (WHO functional class, Borg dyspnea index, and SF-36[®] physical function scale)
- Low incidence of liver function test (LFT) abnormalities, a serious toxicity that can lead to discontinuation of treatment with other ERA therapies
- Potential to provide benefit to PAH patients who have previously discontinued ERA therapy due to LFT abnormalities
- No clinically significant cytochrome P450 (CYP) enzyme-related interactions with several drugs that are currently contraindicated, less effective, or associated with significant safety issues when co-administered with other PAH therapies

Orphan Drug Designation

Ambrisentan was granted orphan drug designation (Designation Request #04-1836) for the treatment of PAH and, therefore, qualifies for seven (7) years of exclusive marketing rights pursuant to Section 527 of the ACT (21 U.S.C. 360 cc). A letter dated December 07, 2006 was submitted to the Office of Orphan Drug Products Development to transfer the orphan designation from Myogen, Inc. to Gilead Sciences, Inc.

Application Fee

Under Section 736(a)(1)(E) of the ACT, this NDA is not subject to an application fee because LETAIRIS (ambrisentan) Tablets, 5 and 10 mg, is indicated for the treatment of a rare disease or condition designated under Section 526 of the ACT (orphan drug designation).

Pediatric Data

Since ambrisentan was granted orphan designation for PAH under Section 526 of the ACT (21 U.S.C. 360bb), no pediatric data is submitted in the original NDA 22-081. Pediatric data is not required for applications to market the product for the orphan-designated indications and a waiver is not needed [21 CFR 314.55(d) for NDAs and 601.27(d) for BLAs]. As agreed during the Pre-NDA meeting on May 19, 2006, Gilead will submit a pediatric study request and a proposal for a pediatric study following the NDA submission so that the Division can issue a written request to initiate pediatric studies that will be used to support pediatric exclusivity.

Proposed Proprietary Name

The proposed proprietary name of LETAIRIS was submitted for review on November 4, 2005 in Serial No. 094 of IND 64,915.

Application Format

The archive copy of NDA 22-081 (eCTD 022081-0000) is provided in its entirety as an electronic submission using the electronic Common Technical Document (eCTD) format in accordance with the guidance *M2: eCTD: Electronic Common Technical Document Specification* and as agreed in the Pre-NDA meeting on May 19, 2006. Gilead has notified the FDA Denver District office about the NDA submission in the eCTD format. A copy of the field copy certification is provided in Section m1.3.2.

Please refer to an attachment (Summary of FDA Interactions and Commitments for Ambrisentan Development Plan) to this cover letter for any other agreements of the format and content of the NDA, including the electronic datasets.

Required Regulatory Forms applicable to this submission have been included in the electronic submission and are signed electronically. Pursuant to 21 CFR 11.100, Gilead certifies that all electronic signatures executed by our employees, agents, or representatives, located anywhere in the world, are the legally binding equivalent of traditional handwritten signatures.

This submission is provided on a DVD-ROM and is approximately 4.2 GB. Gilead certifies that the submission is virus free as defined by the 11 December 2006 version of the McAfee® VirusScan® Enterprise-program, Version 8.0.0, Scan Engine 5100, with 4916 virus definitions.

Annotated ECG Waveform Data

In accordance with the instructions available on the CDER Electronic Regulatory Submissions and Review website, and confirmation with the Office of Business Process Support (OBPS), Gilead has submitted annotated ECG waveform data in XML format to the E-Scribe ECG Warehouse. These files are representative of data collected in a Phase 1 QTc study (AMB-104), and the two pivotal Phase 3 studies (AMB-320 and AMB-321). These data files are now available for your review through E-Scribe ECG Warehouse.

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Sincerely,

{See appended electronic signature page}

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Attachment: Summary of FDA Interactions and Commitments for Ambrisentan Development Plan



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EXHIBIT C



DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH & HUMAN SERVICES

Public Health Service

Food and Drug Administration
Rockville, MD 20857

NDA 22-081

Gilead Sciences, Inc.
Attention: Ms. Linnea Tanner
Director, Regulatory Affairs
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Dear Ms. Tanner:

Please refer to your new drug application (NDA) dated December 13, 2006 submitted under section 505(b)(1) of the Federal Food, Drug, and Cosmetic Act for Letairis (ambrisentan) 5 and 10 mg Tablets.

We acknowledge receipt of your submission(s) dated January 11 and 26, February 28, March 2, 13, 16, and 26, April 6, 17, and 24, May 1, 11, 14, 15, and 30, and June 1, 6, and 11, 2007.

This new drug application provides for the use of Letairis (ambrisentan) 5 and 10 mg Tablets for the treatment of pulmonary arterial hypertension (WHO Group 1) in patients with WHO class II or III symptoms to improve exercise capacity and delay clinical worsening.

We have completed our review of this application. It is approved with restrictions to assure safe use under the provisions of the Subpart H regulations (21 CFR 314.520), effective on the date of this letter, for use as recommended in the enclosed labeling text, Medication Guide, RiskMAP, and carton and container labels. Marketing of this drug product and related activities must adhere to the substance and procedures of the referenced restricted distribution approval regulations.

Within 21 days of the date of this letter, submit content of labeling [21 CFR 314.50(l)] in structured product labeling (SPL) format, as described at <http://www.fda.gov/oc/datacouncil/spl.html>, that is identical in content to the enclosed labeling text. Upon receipt, we will transmit that version to the National Library of Medicine for public dissemination.

The final printed labeling (FPL) must be identical to the enclosed labeling (text for the package insert, Medication Guide, RiskMAP, immediate container and carton labels). Marketing the product with FPL that is not identical to the approved labeling text may render the product misbranded and an unapproved new drug.

Please submit an electronic version of the FPL according to the guidance for industry titled *Providing Regulatory Submissions in Electronic Format - NDA*. Alternatively, you may submit 20 paper copies of the FPL as soon as it is available but no more than 30 days after it is printed. Individually mount 15 of the copies on heavy-weight paper or similar material. For administrative purposes, designate this submission "FPL for approved NDA 22-081." Approval of this submission by FDA is not required before the labeling is used.

The Pediatric Research Equity Act is not applicable to drugs granted orphan drug designation.

The postmarketing study commitments that have been agreed upon based on your written correspondence dated 6/15/07 are listed below:

1. Gilead agrees to conduct a study examining the effects of LETAIRIS on 6-minute walk distance at peak and trough plasma concentrations, and further agrees to reach agreement on an appropriate study design with the Division.

Protocol Submission: by 10/1/2007
Study Start: by 06/2008
Final Report Submission: by 12/2009

2. Gilead agrees to submit the results of the Phase 1 ketoconazole drug interaction study that has already been completed.

Final Report Submission: by 10/2007

3. Gilead agrees to a post-approval commitment to explore the interaction potential of strong inhibitors of CYP2C19 (e.g. omeprazole) on ambrisentan pharmacokinetics in humans. Gilead further agrees to explore the interaction potential of cyclosporine A (strong inhibitor of OATP and P-gp) and rifampin (inhibitor of OATP and inducer of P-gp, CYPs 3A and 2C19) on ambrisentan pharmacokinetics in humans.

Protocol Submission: by 10/1/2007
Study Start: by 04/2008
Final Report Submission: by 12/2008

This commitment might also be addressed by analysis of existing data.

4. With regard to the RiskMAP, Gilead agrees to submit to the FDA by July 15, 2007, the following documents:

- i. The pregnancy exposure root cause analysis plan including the questionnaire that will be used in the analysis plan;
- ii. The patient and prescriber knowledge, attitude, and behavior survey tools for the RiskMAP evaluation plan;
- iii. The Pharmacy Standard Operating Procedures (SOPs); and
- iv. The Pharmacy Audit Plan.

Submit clinical protocols to your IND for this product. Submit nonclinical and chemistry, manufacturing, and controls protocols and all study final reports to this NDA. In addition, under 21 CFR 314.81(b)(2)(vii) and 314.81(b)(2)(viii), you should include a status summary of each commitment in your annual report to this NDA. The status summary should include expected summary completion and final report submission dates, any changes in plans since the last annual report, and, for clinical studies, number of patients entered into each study. All submissions, including supplements, relating to these postmarketing study commitments must be prominently labeled "Postmarketing Study Commitment Protocol", "Postmarketing Study Commitment Final Report", or "Postmarketing Study Commitment Correspondence."

As required by 21 CFR 314.550, submit all promotional materials at least 30 days before the intended time of initial distribution of labeling or initial publication of the advertisement. Send two copies of all promotional materials directly to:

Food and Drug Administration
Center for Drug Evaluation and Research
Division of Drug Marketing, Advertising, and Communications
5901-B Ammendale Road
Beltsville, MD 20705-1266

We have determined that Letairis poses a serious and significant public health concern relating to women of child-bearing potential and patients with liver impairment. This concern requires development and distribution of a Medication Guide under 21 CFR 208 in order to prevent serious adverse effects, inform patients of

information concerning risks that could affect their decision to use or continue to use the drug, and/or assure effective use of the drug.

Under 21 CFR 208, you are responsible for ensuring that the Medication Guide is available for every patient who is dispensed Letairis. Therefore, format the proposed Medication Guide in a manner that will assure its appropriate distribution to patients and include a plan to ensure distribution. In addition, submit proposed container and/or carton labels for Letairis that include a prominent and conspicuous instruction to provide the Medication Guide to each patient dispensed the drug. The labels must state how the Medication Guide is provided (e.g., affixed on the container, provided with the product, etc.).

We remind you that you must comply with the reporting requirements for an approved NDA (21 CFR 314.80 and 314.81).

The MedWatch-to-Manufacturer Program provides manufacturers with copies of serious adverse event reports that are received directly by the FDA. New molecular entities and important new biologics qualify for inclusion for three years after approval. Your firm is eligible to receive copies of reports for this product. To participate in the program, please see the enrollment instructions and program description details at www.fda.gov/medwatch/report/mmp.htm.

If you have any questions, please call Dan Brum, PharmD, MBA, Regulatory Project Manager, at (301)796-0578.

Sincerely,

{See appended electronic signature page}

Robert Temple, M.D.
Director
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Center for Drug Evaluation and Research

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EXHIBIT D



LETTER OF RELIANCE

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Office of Patent Legal Administration

Gilead Sciences, Inc., Licensee of the exclusive rights to U.S. Patent No. 5,932,730 ("U.S. '730"), authorizes **Abbott Laboratories**, Licensor and record-owner of U.S. '730, to rely on the activities of Gilead Sciences, Inc. supporting FDA approval of LETAIRIS™ (ambrisentan) product (5 and 10 mg tablets), for the purpose of obtaining extension of patent term of U.S. '730, as provided under 35 U.S.C. §156(d)(1), 37 C.F.R. §1.730 and MPEP 2752.

Date: 8/2/07

Authorized by Gilead Sciences, Inc.


By: 
Richard J. Gorczynski, PhD
SVP, Cardiovascular Therapeutics

EXHIBIT E

HIGHLIGHTS OF PRESCRIBING INFORMATION

These highlights do not include all the information needed to use LETAIRIS™ tablets safely and effectively. See full prescribing information for LETAIRIS.

LETAIRIS (ambrisentan) tablets for oral use

Initial U.S. Approval: 2007

WARNING: POTENTIAL LIVER INJURY AND CONTRAINDICATION IN PREGNANCY

See full prescribing information for complete boxed warning.

- Elevations of liver aminotransferases (ALT, AST) have been reported with LETAIRIS and serious liver injury has been reported with related drugs.
- Monitor liver aminotransferases monthly and discontinue LETAIRIS if $>5 \times$ ULN or if elevations are accompanied by bilirubin $>2 \times$ ULN or by signs or symptoms of liver dysfunction.
- May cause fetal harm if taken during pregnancy (4.1)
- Must exclude pregnancy before the start of treatment (2.2)
- Prevent pregnancy thereafter by the use of two reliable methods of contraception (2.2)

INDICATIONS AND USAGE

LETAIRIS is an endothelin receptor antagonist indicated for the treatment of pulmonary arterial hypertension (WHO Group 1) in patients with WHO class II or III symptoms to improve exercise capacity and delay clinical worsening (1).

DOSAGE AND ADMINISTRATION

- Initiate treatment at 5 mg once daily with or without food, and consider increasing the dose to 10 mg once daily if 5 mg is tolerated (2.1).
- Treat women of child-bearing potential only after a negative pregnancy test and treat only women who are using two reliable methods of contraception unless the patient has had a tubal sterilization or a Copper T 380A IUD or LNG 20 IUD inserted. Obtain monthly pregnancy tests (2.2).
- Not recommended in patients with moderate or severe hepatic impairment (2.3)

DOSAGE FORMS AND STRENGTHS

- 5 mg and 10mg film-coated, unscored tablets (3)

CONTRAINDICATIONS

- Do not administer LETAIRIS to a pregnant woman because it can cause fetal harm (4.1).

WARNINGS AND PRECAUTIONS

- Decreases in hemoglobin have been observed within the first few weeks; measure hemoglobin at initiation, at 1 month, and periodically thereafter (5.2).
- Mild to moderate peripheral edema (5.3)
- Use caution when LETAIRIS is co-administered with cyclosporine A (5.4 and 7).
- Use caution when LETAIRIS is co-administered with strong CYP3A and 2C19 inhibitors (5.5 and 7).

ADVERSE REACTIONS

Most common placebo-adjusted adverse reactions are peripheral edema, nasal congestion, sinusitis, flushing, palpitations, abdominal pain, and constipation (6.1).

To report SUSPECTED ADVERSE REACTIONS, contact Gilead Sciences, Inc. at (1-800-GILEAD5, Option 3) or FDA at 1-800-FDA-1088 or www.fda.gov/medwatch

DRUG INTERACTIONS

- No significant interactions of LETAIRIS with warfarin or sildenafil have been observed (7).
- Other potential interactions are not well characterized, but, based on *in vitro* data, interactions with P-glycoprotein (P-gp), the Organic Anion Transport Protein (OATP), CYP3A4, and CYP2C19 inhibitors, and uridine 5'-diphosphate glucuronosyltransferases (UGTs) would be expected (7).

USE IN SPECIFIC POPULATIONS

- Pregnancy Category X: LETAIRIS is contraindicated in pregnant women (4.1 and 8.1).
- Nursing mothers: Breastfeeding while receiving LETAIRIS is not recommended (8.3).

See 17 for PATIENT COUNSELING INFORMATION and FDA-approved patient labeling (Medication Guide)

Revised: [06/2007]

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FULL PRESCRIBING INFORMATION

WARNING: POTENTIAL LIVER INJURY

LETAIRIS (ambrisentan) can cause elevation of liver aminotransferases (ALT and AST) to at least 3 times the upper limit of normal (ULN). LETAIRIS treatment was associated with aminotransferase elevations $>3 \times \text{ULN}$ in 0.8% of patients in 12-week trials and 2.8% of patients including long-term open-label trials out to one year. One case of aminotransferase elevations $>3 \times \text{ULN}$ has been accompanied by bilirubin elevations $>2 \times \text{ULN}$. Because these changes are a marker for potentially serious liver injury, serum aminotransferase levels (and bilirubin if aminotransferase levels are elevated) must be measured prior to initiation of treatment and then monthly.

In the post-marketing period with another endothelin receptor antagonist (ERA), bosentan, rare cases of unexplained hepatic cirrhosis were reported after prolonged (>12 months) therapy. In at least one case with bosentan, a late presentation (after >20 months of treatment) included pronounced elevations in aminotransferases and bilirubin levels accompanied by non-specific symptoms, all of which resolved slowly over time after discontinuation of the suspect drug. This case reinforces the importance of strict adherence to the monthly monitoring schedule for the duration of treatment.

Elevations in aminotransferases require close attention. LETAIRIS should generally be avoided in patients with elevated aminotransferases ($>3 \times \text{ULN}$) at baseline because monitoring liver injury may be more difficult. If liver aminotransferase elevations are accompanied by clinical symptoms of liver injury (such as nausea, vomiting, fever, abdominal pain, jaundice, or unusual lethargy or fatigue) or increases in bilirubin $>2 \times \text{ULN}$, treatment should be stopped. There is no experience with the re-introduction of LETAIRIS in these circumstances.

CONTRAINDICATION: PREGNANCY

LETAIRIS is very likely to produce serious birth defects if used by pregnant women, as this effect has been seen consistently when it is administered to animals [see *Contraindications (4.1)*]. Pregnancy must therefore be excluded before the initiation of treatment with LETAIRIS and prevented thereafter by the use of at least two reliable methods of contraception unless the patient has had a tubal sterilization or Copper T 380A IUD or LNG 20 IUD inserted, in which case no other contraception is needed. Obtain monthly pregnancy tests.

Because of the risks of liver injury and birth defects, LETAIRIS is available only through a special restricted distribution program called the LETAIRIS Education and Access Program (LEAP), by calling 1-866-664-LEAP (5327). Only prescribers and pharmacies registered with LEAP may prescribe and distribute LETAIRIS. In addition, LETAIRIS may be dispensed only to patients who are enrolled in and meet all conditions of LEAP [see *WARNINGS, Prescribing and Distribution Program for LETAIRIS*].

1 INDICATIONS AND USAGE

LETAIRIS is indicated for the treatment of pulmonary arterial hypertension (WHO Group 1) in patients with WHO class II or III symptoms to improve exercise capacity and delay clinical worsening.

2 DOSAGE AND ADMINISTRATION

2.1 Adult Dosage

Initiate treatment at 5 mg once daily with or without food, and consider increasing the dose to 10 mg once daily if 5 mg is tolerated.

Tablets may be administered with or without food. Tablets should not be split, crushed, or chewed. Doses higher than 10 mg once daily have not been studied in patients with pulmonary arterial hypertension (PAH). Liver function tests should be measured prior to initiation and during treatment with LETAIRIS [see *Warnings and Precautions* (5.1)].

2.2 Women of Childbearing Potential

Treat women of childbearing potential only after a negative pregnancy test and treat only women who are using two reliable methods of contraception unless the patient has had a tubal sterilization or a Copper T 380A IUD or LNG 20 IUD inserted. In those cases, no other contraception is needed. Pregnancy tests should be obtained monthly in women of childbearing potential taking LETAIRIS [see *Contraindications* (4.1)].

2.3 Pre-existing Hepatic Impairment

LETAIRIS is not recommended in patients with moderate or severe hepatic impairment [see *Special Populations* (8.7)]. Use caution in patients with mild hepatic impairment.

3 DOSAGE FORMS AND STRENGTHS

LETAIRIS is available as 5 mg and 10 mg film-coated, unscored tablets.

4 CONTRAINDICATIONS

4.1 Pregnancy Category X

LETAIRIS may cause fetal harm when administered to a pregnant woman. Ambrisentan was teratogenic at oral doses of ≥ 15 mg/kg/day in rats and ≥ 7 mg/kg/day in rabbits; it was not studied at lower doses. In both species, there were abnormalities of the lower jaw and hard and soft palate, malformation of the heart and great vessels, and failure of formation of the thymus and thyroid. Teratogenicity is a class effect of endothelin receptor antagonists. There are no data on the use of LETAIRIS in pregnant women.

LETAIRIS is contraindicated in women who are or may become pregnant. If this drug is used during pregnancy, or if the patient becomes pregnant while taking this drug, the patient should be apprised of the potential hazard to a fetus. Pregnancy must be excluded before the initiation of treatment with LETAIRIS and prevented thereafter by the use of two reliable methods of contraception [see *Dosage and Administration* (2.2)].

5 WARNINGS AND PRECAUTIONS

5.1 Potential Liver Injury (see BOXED WARNING)

Treatment with endothelin receptor antagonists has been associated with dose-dependent liver injury manifested primarily by elevation of serum aminotransferases (ALT or AST), but sometimes accompanied by abnormal liver function (elevated bilirubin). The combination of aminotransferases greater than 3-times the upper limit of normal ($>3 \times \text{ULN}$) and total bilirubin $>2 \times \text{ULN}$ is a marker for potentially serious hepatic injury.

Liver function tests were closely monitored in all clinical studies with LETAIRIS. For all LETAIRIS-treated patients (N=483), the 12-week incidence of aminotransferases $>3 \times \text{ULN}$ was 0.8% and $>8 \times \text{ULN}$ was 0.2%. For placebo-treated patients, the 12-week incidence of aminotransferases $>3 \times \text{ULN}$ was 2.3% and $>8 \times \text{ULN}$ was 0.0%. The 1-year rate of aminotransferase elevations $>3 \times \text{ULN}$ with LETAIRIS was 2.8% and $>8 \times \text{ULN}$ was 0.5%. One case of aminotransferase elevations $>3 \times \text{ULN}$ has been accompanied by bilirubin elevations $>2 \times \text{ULN}$.

Liver chemistries must be measured prior to initiation of LETAIRIS and at least every month thereafter. If there are aminotransferase elevations $>3 \times \text{ULN}$ and $\leq 5 \times \text{ULN}$, they should be re-measured. If the confirmed level is $>3 \times \text{ULN}$ and $\leq 5 \times \text{ULN}$, reduce the daily dose or interrupt treatment and continue to monitor every two weeks until the levels are $<3 \times \text{ULN}$. If there are aminotransferase elevations $>5 \times \text{ULN}$ and $\leq 8 \times \text{ULN}$, LETAIRIS should be discontinued and monitoring should continue until the levels are $<3 \times \text{ULN}$. LETAIRIS can then be re-initiated with more frequent measurement of aminotransferase levels. If there are aminotransferase elevations $>8 \times \text{ULN}$, treatment should be stopped and re-initiation should not be considered.

LETAIRIS is not recommended in patients with elevated aminotransferases ($>3 \times \text{ULN}$) at baseline because monitoring liver injury may be more difficult. If aminotransferase elevations are accompanied by clinical symptoms of liver injury (such as anorexia, nausea, vomiting, fever, malaise, fatigue, right upper quadrant abdominal discomfort, itching, or jaundice) or increases in bilirubin $>2 \times \text{ULN}$, LETAIRIS treatment should be stopped. There is no experience with the re-introduction of LETAIRIS in these circumstances.

5.2 Hematological Changes

Decreases in hemoglobin concentration and hematocrit have followed administration of other endothelin receptor antagonists and were observed in clinical studies with LETAIRIS. These decreases were observed within the first few weeks of treatment with LETAIRIS, and stabilized thereafter. The mean decrease in hemoglobin from baseline to end of treatment for those patients receiving LETAIRIS in the 12-week placebo-controlled studies was 0.8 g/dL.

Marked decreases in hemoglobin ($>15\%$ decrease from baseline resulting in a value below the lower limit of normal) were observed in 7% of all patients receiving LETAIRIS (and 10% of patients receiving 10 mg) compared to 4% of patients receiving placebo.

The cause of the decrease in hemoglobin is unknown, but it does not appear to result from hemorrhage or hemolysis.

Hemoglobin must be measured prior to initiation of LETAIRIS and should be measured at one month and periodically thereafter. If a clinically significant decrease in hemoglobin is observed and other causes have been excluded, discontinuation of treatment should be considered.

5.3 Peripheral Edema

Peripheral edema is a known class effect of endothelin receptor antagonists, and is also a clinical consequence of PAH and worsening PAH. In the placebo-controlled studies, there was an increased incidence of peripheral edema in patients treated with doses of 5 or 10 mg LETAIRIS compared to placebo [see *Adverse Reactions (6)*]. Most edema was mild to moderate in severity. If clinically significant peripheral edema develops, with or without associated weight gain, further evaluation should be undertaken to determine the cause, such as heart failure, and the possible need for specific treatment.

5.4 Co-administration of LETAIRIS and Cyclosporine A

Cyclosporine is a strong inhibitor of P-glycoprotein (P-gp), Organic Anion Transport Protein (OATP), and CYP3A4. *In vitro* data indicate ambrisentan is a substrate of P-gp, OATP and CYP3A4. Therefore, use caution when LETAIRIS is co-administered with cyclosporine A because cyclosporine A may cause increased exposure to LETAIRIS [see *Drug Interactions (7)*].

5.5 Co-administration of LETAIRIS and Strong CYP3A and 2C19 Inhibitors

Use caution when LETAIRIS is co-administered with strong CYP3A-inhibitors (e.g., ketoconazole) and CYP2C19-inhibitors (e.g., omeprazole) [see *Drug Interactions (7)*].

5.6 Prescribing and Distribution Program for LETAIRIS

Because of the risks of liver injury and birth defects, LETAIRIS is available only through a special restricted distribution program called the LETAIRIS Education and Access Program (LEAP). Only prescribers and pharmacies registered with LEAP may prescribe and distribute LETAIRIS. In addition, LETAIRIS may be dispensed only to patients who are enrolled in and meet all conditions of LEAP.

To enroll in LEAP, prescribers must complete the LEAP Prescriber Enrollment and Agreement Form indicating agreement to (see LEAP Prescriber Enrollment and Agreement Form for full prescribing physician agreement):

- Read the Prescribing Information (PI) and Medication Guide for LETAIRIS
- Enroll all patients in LEAP and re-enroll patients after the first 6 months of treatment and annually thereafter
- Review the LETAIRIS Medication Guide and patient education brochure(s) with every patient

- Educate patients on the risks of LETAIRIS, including the risks of hepatotoxicity and teratogenicity [see *Boxed Warning*]
- Educate and counsel women of childbearing potential to use two different forms of contraception including at least one primary form during LETAIRIS treatment and for one month following treatment discontinuation. If the patient has had a tubal sterilization or a Copper T 380A IUD or LNg 20 IUD inserted, no additional contraception is needed [see *Boxed Warning, Contraindication (4.1)*].

Primary forms of contraception include tubal sterilization, hormonal (combination oral contraceptives, transdermal patch, injectables, implantables, or vaginal ring), IUD, and a partner's vasectomy. A Copper T 380A IUD or LNg 20 IUD can be used alone, i.e. without a secondary form of contraception, as can tubal sterilization.

Secondary forms of contraception include barrier contraceptives such as latex condoms, diaphragms, and cervical caps.

- Order and review liver function tests (including aminotransferases and bilirubin) prior to initiation of LETAIRIS treatment and monthly during treatment
- For women of childbearing potential, order and review a pregnancy test prior to initiation of LETAIRIS treatment and monthly during treatment
- Counsel patients who fail to comply with the program requirements
- Notify LEAP of any adverse events, including liver injury, or if any patient becomes pregnant during LETAIRIS treatment

6 ADVERSE REACTIONS

6.1 Clinical Trials Experience

Because clinical trials are conducted under widely varying conditions, adverse reaction rates observed in the clinical trials of a drug cannot be directly compared to rates in the clinical trials of another drug and may not reflect the rates observed in practice.

Safety data for LETAIRIS were obtained from two 12-week, placebo-controlled studies in patients with PAH (ARIES-1 and ARIES-2) and four nonplacebo-controlled studies in 483 patients with PAH who were treated with doses of 1, 2.5, 5, or 10 mg once daily. The exposure to LETAIRIS in these studies ranged from 1 day to 4 years (N=418 for at least 6 months and N=343 for at least 1 year).

In ARIES-1 and ARIES-2, a total of 261 patients received LETAIRIS at doses of 2.5, 5, or 10 mg once daily and 132 patients received placebo. The adverse events that occurred in >3% of the patients receiving LETAIRIS and were more frequent on LETAIRIS than placebo are shown in Table 1.

Table 1 Adverse Events in >3% of PAH Patients Receiving LETAIRIS and More Frequent than Placebo

	Placebo (N=132)	LETAIRIS (N=261)	
Adverse event	n (%)	n (%)	Placebo-adjusted (%)
Peripheral edema	14 (11)	45 (17)	6
Nasal congestion	2 (2)	15 (6)	4
Sinusitis	0 (0)	8 (3)	3
Flushing	1 (1)	10 (4)	3
Palpitations	3 (2)	12 (5)	3
Nasopharyngitis	1 (1)	9 (3)	2
Abdominal pain	1 (1)	8 (3)	2
Constipation	2 (2)	10 (4)	2
Dyspnea	4 (3)	11 (4)	1
Headache	18 (14)	38 (15)	1

Note: This table includes all adverse events >3% incidence in the combined LETAIRIS treatment group and more frequent than in the placebo group, with a difference of $\geq 1\%$ between the LETAIRIS and placebo groups.

Most adverse drug reactions were mild to moderate and only nasal congestion was dose-dependent. Fewer patients receiving LETAIRIS had adverse events related to liver function tests compared to placebo.

Few notable differences in the incidence of adverse drug reactions were observed for patients by age or sex. Peripheral edema was similar in younger patients (<65 years) receiving LETAIRIS (14%; 29/205) or placebo (13%; 13/104), and was greater in elderly patients (≥ 65 years) receiving LETAIRIS (29%; 16/56) compared to placebo (4%; 1/28). The results of such subgroup analyses must be interpreted cautiously.

The incidence of treatment discontinuations due to adverse events other than those related to pulmonary hypertension during the clinical trials in patients with pulmonary arterial hypertension was similar for LETAIRIS (2%; 5/261 patients) and placebo (2%; 3/132 patients). The incidence of patients with serious adverse events other than those related to pulmonary hypertension during the clinical trials in patients with pulmonary arterial hypertension was similar for placebo (7%; 9/132 patients) and for LETAIRIS (5%; 13/261 patients).

7 DRUG INTERACTIONS

Studies with human liver tissue indicate that ambrisentan is metabolized by CYP3A4, CYP2C19, and uridine 5'-diphosphate glucuronosyltransferases (UGTs) 1A9S, 2B7S, and 1A3S. *In vitro* studies suggest that ambrisentan is a substrate of Organic Anion Transport Protein (OATP). *In vitro* studies show ambrisentan is a substrate but not an inhibitor of P-gp.

The drug interaction potential of ambrisentan is not well characterized because *in vivo* drug interaction studies were not conducted with the following types of drugs: strong inhibitors of CYP3A4 (atazanavir, clarithromycin, indinavir, itraconazole, ketoconazole, nefazodone, nelfinavir, ritonavir, saquinavir, telithromycin), and CYP2C19 (omeprazole), strong inducers of CYP3A and 2C19 (rifampin), strong inhibitors of the transporters P-gp (cyclosporine A) and OATP (cyclosporine A, rifampin); and inducers of CYPs, UGTs and P-gp (rifampin). The impact of co-administration of such drugs on ambrisentan exposure is therefore unknown.

7.1 Cyclosporine A

Use caution when LETAIRIS is co-administered with cyclosporine A (see Warnings and Precautions 5.4).

7.2 Strong CYP3A or 2C19 Inhibitors

Use caution when LETAIRIS is co-administered with strong CYP3A-inhibitors (e.g., ketoconazole) or CYP2C19-inhibitors (e.g., omeprazole) [*see Warnings and Precautions (5.5)*].

7.3 Inducers of P-gp, CYPs, and UGTs

Use caution when LETAIRIS is co-administered with inducers of P-gp, CYPs, and UGTs.

7.4 Warfarin

In healthy volunteers receiving warfarin, daily doses of LETAIRIS (10 mg once daily) did not have a clinically significant effect on prothrombin time (PT), International Normalized Ratio (INR), or the pharmacokinetics of S-warfarin (CYP2C9 substrate) or R-warfarin (CYP3A4 substrate).

In patients with PAH receiving warfarin-type anticoagulants, concomitant administration of LETAIRIS did not result in a clinically relevant change in PT, INR or anticoagulant dose. Therefore, no dose-adjustments for warfarin or LETAIRIS are required when co-administered.

7.5 Sildenafil

In healthy volunteers receiving a single dose of sildenafil (20 mg), daily doses of LETAIRIS (10 mg once daily) did not have a clinically relevant effect on the pharmacokinetics of sildenafil or the active metabolite, n-desmethyl sildenafil. Similarly, daily doses of sildenafil (20 mg tid) did not have a clinically relevant effect on the pharmacokinetics of a single dose of LETAIRIS (10 mg). Therefore, no dose-adjustments for sildenafil or LETAIRIS are required when co-administered.

8 USE IN SPECIFIC POPULATIONS

8.1 Pregnancy

Pregnancy Category X [*see Contraindications (4.1)*].

8.3 Nursing Mothers

It is not known whether ambrisentan is excreted in human milk. Breastfeeding while receiving LETAIRIS is not recommended. A preclinical study in rats has shown decreased survival of newborn pups (mid and high doses) and effects on testicle size and fertility of pups (high dose) following maternal treatment with ambrisentan from late gestation through weaning. Doses tested were 17x, 51x, and 170x (low, mid, high dose, respectively) the maximum oral human dose of 10 mg on a mg/mm² basis.

8.4 Pediatric Use

Safety and effectiveness of LETAIRIS in pediatric patients have not been established.

8.5 Geriatric Use

In the two placebo-controlled clinical studies of LETAIRIS, 21% of patients were ≥65 years old and 5% were ≥75 years old. The elderly (age ≥65 years) showed less improvement in walk distances with LETAIRIS than younger patients did, but the results of such subgroup analyses must be interpreted cautiously. Peripheral edema was more common in the elderly than in younger patients.

8.6 Renal Impairment

The impact of renal impairment on the pharmacokinetics of ambrisentan has been examined using a population pharmacokinetic approach in PAH patients with creatinine clearances ranging between 20 and 150 mL/min. There was no significant impact of mild or moderate renal impairment on exposure to ambrisentan [see *Clinical Pharmacology* (12.3)]. Dose adjustment of LETAIRIS in patients with mild or moderate renal impairment is therefore not required. There is no information on the exposure to ambrisentan in patients with severe renal impairment.

The impact of hemodialysis on the disposition of ambrisentan has not been investigated.

8.7 Hepatic Impairment

The influence of pre-existing hepatic impairment on the pharmacokinetics of ambrisentan has not been evaluated. Because there is *in vitro* and *in vivo* evidence of significant metabolic and biliary contribution to the elimination of ambrisentan, hepatic impairment would be expected to have significant effects on the pharmacokinetics of ambrisentan [see *Clinical Pharmacology* (12.3)]. LETAIRIS is not recommended in patients with moderate or severe hepatic impairment. Use caution when administering LETAIRIS to patients with mild pre-existing impaired liver function who may require reduced doses of LETAIRIS [see *Dosage and Administration* (2.3)].

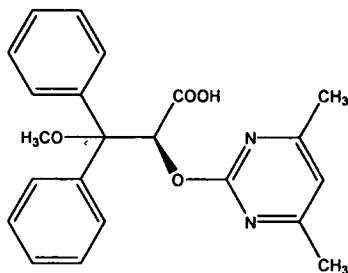
10 OVERDOSAGE

There is no experience with overdosage of LETAIRIS. The highest single dose of LETAIRIS administered to healthy volunteers was 100 mg and the highest daily dose administered to patients with PAH was 10 mg once daily. Massive overdosage could potentially result in hypotension that may require intervention.

11 DESCRIPTION

LETAIRIS is the brand name for ambrisentan, an endothelin receptor antagonist that is selective for the endothelin type-A (ET_A) receptor. The chemical name of ambrisentan is (+)-(2*S*)-2-[(4,6-dimethylpyrimidin-2-yl)oxy]-3-methoxy-3,3-diphenylpropanoic acid. It has a molecular formula of C₂₂H₂₂N₂O₄ and a molecular weight of 378.42. It contains a single chiral center determined to be the (*S*) configuration and has the following structural formula:

Figure 1 Ambrisentan Structural Formula



Ambrisentan is a white to off-white, crystalline solid. It is a carboxylic acid with a pK_a of 4.0. Ambrisentan is practically insoluble in water and in aqueous solutions at low pH. Solubility increases in aqueous solutions at higher pH. In the solid state ambrisentan is very stable, is not hygroscopic, and is not light sensitive.

LETAIRIS is available as 5 mg and 10 mg film-coated tablets for once-daily oral administration. The tablets include the following inactive ingredients: croscarmellose sodium, lactose monohydrate, magnesium stearate and microcrystalline cellulose. The tablets are film-coated with a coating material containing FD&C Red #40 aluminum lake, lecithin, polyethylene glycol, polyvinyl alcohol, talc, and titanium dioxide. Each square, pale pink LETAIRIS tablet contains 5 mg of ambrisentan. Each oval, deep pink LETAIRIS tablet contains 10 mg of ambrisentan. LETAIRIS tablets are unscored.

12 CLINICAL PHARMACOLOGY

12.1 Mechanism of Action

Endothelin-1 (ET-1) is a potent autocrine and paracrine peptide. Two receptor subtypes, ET_A and ET_B, mediate the effects of ET-1 in the vascular smooth muscle and endothelium. The primary actions of ET_A are vasoconstriction and cell proliferation, while the predominant actions of ET_B are vasodilation, antiproliferation, and ET-1 clearance.

In patients with PAH, plasma ET-1 concentrations are increased as much as 10-fold and correlate with increased mean right atrial pressure and disease severity. ET-1 and ET-1 mRNA concentrations are increased as much as 9-fold in the lung tissue of patients with PAH, primarily in the endothelium of pulmonary arteries. These findings suggest that ET-1 may play a critical role in the pathogenesis and progression of PAH.

Ambrisentan is a high affinity ($K_i=0.011$ nM) ET_A receptor antagonist with a high selectivity for the ET_A versus ET_B receptor (>4000 -fold). The clinical impact of high selectivity for ET_A is not known.

12.2 Pharmacodynamics

Cardiac Electrophysiology

In a randomized, positive- and placebo-controlled, parallel-group study, healthy subjects received either LETAIRIS 10 mg daily followed by a single dose of 40 mg, placebo followed by a single dose of moxifloxacin 400 mg, or placebo alone. LETAIRIS 10 mg daily had no significant effect on the QTc interval. The 40 mg dose of LETAIRIS increased mean QTc at t_{max} by 5 ms with an upper 95% confidence limit of 9 ms. For patients receiving LETAIRIS 5-10 mg daily and not taking metabolic inhibitors, no significant QT prolongation is expected.

12.3 Pharmacokinetics

The absolute bioavailability of ambrisentan is not known. Ambrisentan is rapidly absorbed with peak concentrations occurring approximately 2 hours after oral administration in healthy subjects and PAH patients. Food does not affect its bioavailability. *In vitro* studies indicate that ambrisentan is a substrate of P-gp. Ambrisentan is highly bound to plasma proteins (99%). The elimination of ambrisentan is predominantly by non-renal pathways, but the relative contributions of metabolism and biliary elimination have not been well characterized. Based on *in vitro* data, interactions with strong inhibitors of P glycoprotein (P-gp), the Organic Anion Transport Protein (OATP), CYP3A4, CYP2C19, and uridine 5' diphosphate glucuronosyltransferases (UGTs) are possible [see *Drug Interactions* (7)]. The mean oral clearance of ambrisentan is 38 mL/min and 19 mL/min in healthy subjects and in PAH patients, respectively. Although ambrisentan has a 15-hour terminal half-life, the mean trough concentration of ambrisentan at steady-state is about 15% of the mean peak concentration and the accumulation factor is about 1.2 after long-term daily dosing, indicating that the effective half-life of ambrisentan is about 9 hours.

13 NONCLINICAL TOXICOLOGY

13.1 Carcinogenesis, Mutagenesis, Impairment of Fertility

Oral carcinogenicity studies of up to two years duration were conducted at starting doses of 10, 30, and 60 mg/kg/day in rats (8 to 48 times the maximum recommended human dose [MRHD] on a mg/m^2 basis) and at 50, 150 and 250 mg/kg/day in mice (28 to 140 times the MRHD). In the rat study, the high and mid-dose male and female groups had their doses lowered to 40 and 20 mg/kg/day, respectively, in week 51 because of effects on survival. The high dose males and females were taken off drug completely in weeks 69 and 93, respectively. The only evidence of ambrisentan-related carcinogenicity was a positive trend in male rats, for the combined incidence of benign basal cell tumor and basal cell carcinoma of skin/subcutis in the mid-dose group (high-dose group excluded from analysis), and the occurrence of mammary fibroadenomas in males in the high-dose group. In the mouse study, high dose male and female groups had their doses lowered to 150 mg/kg/day in week 39 and were

taken off drug completely in week 96 (males) or week 76 (females). In mice, ambrisentan was not associated with excess tumors in any dosed group.

Positive findings of clastogenicity were detected, at drug concentrations producing moderate to high toxicity, in the chromosome aberration assay in cultured human lymphocytes. There was no evidence for genetic toxicity of ambrisentan when tested *in vitro* in bacteria (Ames test) or *in vivo* in rats (micronucleus assay, unscheduled DNA synthesis assay).

The development of testicular tubular atrophy and impaired fertility has been linked to the chronic administration of endothelin receptor antagonists in rodents. Testicular tubular degeneration was observed in rats treated with ambrisentan for two years at doses ≥ 10 mg/kg/day (8-fold MRHD). Increased incidences of testicular findings were also observed in mice treated for two years at doses ≥ 50 mg/kg/day (28-fold MRHD). Effects on sperm count, sperm morphology, mating performance and fertility were observed in fertility studies in which male rats were treated with ambrisentan at oral doses of 300 mg/kg/day (236-fold MRHD). At doses of ≥ 10 mg/kg/day, observations of testicular histopathology in the absence of fertility and sperm effects were also present. There are insufficient data on the effects of ambrisentan or other endothelin receptor antagonists on testicular function in man.

14 CLINICAL STUDIES

14.1 Pulmonary Arterial Hypertension (PAH)

Two 12-week, randomized, double-blind, placebo-controlled, multicenter studies were conducted in 393 patients with PAH (WHO Group 1). The two studies were identical in design except for the doses of LETAIRIS and the geographic region of the investigational sites. ARIES-1 compared once-daily doses of 5 mg and 10 mg LETAIRIS to placebo, while ARIES-2 compared once-daily doses of 2.5 mg and 5 mg LETAIRIS to placebo. In both studies, LETAIRIS or placebo was added to current therapy, which could have included a combination of anticoagulants, diuretics, calcium channel blockers, or digoxin, but not epoprostenol, treprostinil, iloprost, bosentan, or sildenafil. The primary study endpoint was 6-minute walk distance. In addition, clinical worsening, WHO functional class, dyspnea, and SF-36[®] Health Survey were assessed.

Patients had idiopathic PAH (64%) or PAH associated with connective tissue disease (32%), HIV infection (3%), or anorexigen use (1%). There were no patients with PAH associated with congenital heart disease.

Patients had WHO functional class I (2%), II (38%), III (55%), or IV (5%) symptoms at baseline. The mean age of patients was 50 years, 79% of patients were female, and 77% were Caucasian.

Submaximal Exercise Capacity

Results of the 6-minute walk distance at 12 weeks for the ARIES-1 and ARIES-2 studies are shown in Table 2 and Figure 2.

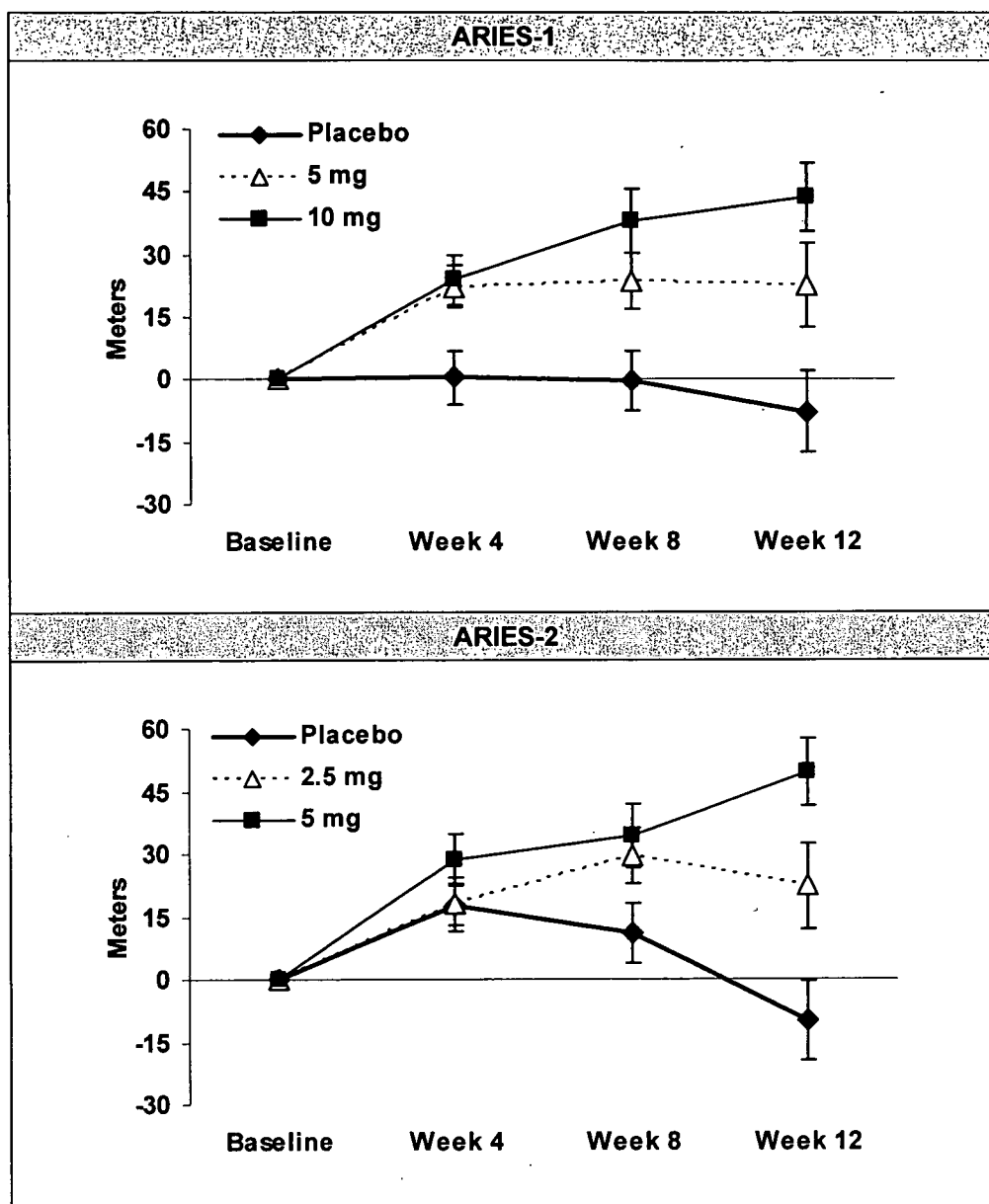
Table 2 **Changes from Baseline in 6-Minute Walk Distance (meters)**

	ARIES-1			ARIES-2		
	Placebo (N=67)	5 mg (N=67)	10 mg (N=67)	Placebo (N=65)	2.5 mg (N=64)	5 mg (N=63)
Baseline	342 ± 73	340 ± 77	342 ± 78	343 ± 86	347 ± 84	355 ± 84
Mean change from baseline	-8 ± 79	23 ± 83	44 ± 63	-10 ± 94	22 ± 83	49 ± 75
Placebo-adjusted mean change from baseline		31	51		32	59
Placebo-adjusted median change from baseline		27	39		30	45
p-value†		0.008	<0.001		0.022	<0.001

Mean ± standard deviation

† p-values are Wilcoxon rank sum test comparisons of LETAIRIS to placebo at Week 12 stratified by idiopathic PAH and non-idiopathic PAH patients

Figure 2 Mean Change in 6-minute Walk Distance



Mean change from baseline in 6-minute walk distance in the placebo and LETAIRIS groups
Values are expressed as mean \pm standard error of the mean.

In both studies, treatment with LETAIRIS resulted in a significant improvement in 6-minute walk distance for each dose of LETAIRIS and the improvements increased with dose. An increase in 6-minute walk distance was observed after 4 weeks of treatment with LETAIRIS, with a dose-response observed after 12 weeks of treatment. Improvements in walk distance with LETAIRIS were smaller for elderly patients (age ≥ 65) than younger patients and for patients with secondary PAH than for patients

with idiopathic PAH. The results of such subgroup analyses must be interpreted cautiously.

The effects of LETAIRIS on walk distances at trough drug levels are not known. Because only once daily dosing was studied in the clinical trials, the efficacy and safety of more frequent dosing regimens for LETAIRIS are not known. If exercise capacity is not sustained throughout the day in a patient, consider other PAH treatments that have been studied with more frequent dosing regimens.

Clinical Worsening

Time to clinical worsening of PAH was defined as the first occurrence of death, lung transplantation, hospitalization for PAH, atrial septostomy, study withdrawal due to the addition of other PAH therapeutic agents or study withdrawal due to early escape. Early escape was defined as meeting two or more of the following criteria: a 20% decrease in the 6-minute walk distance; an increase in WHO functional class; worsening right ventricular failure; rapidly progressing cardiogenic, hepatic, or renal failure; or refractory systolic hypotension. The clinical worsening events during the 12-week treatment period of the LETAIRIS clinical trials are shown in Table 3 and Figure 3.

Table 3 Time to Clinical Worsening

	ARIES-1		ARIES-2	
	Placebo (N=67)	LETAIRIS (N=134)	Placebo (N=65)	LETAIRIS (N=127)
Clinical worsening, no. (%)	7 (10%)	4 (3%)	13 (22%)	8 (6%)
Hazard ratio		0.28		0.30
p-value, Fisher exact test		0.044		0.006
p-value, Log-rank test		0.030		0.005

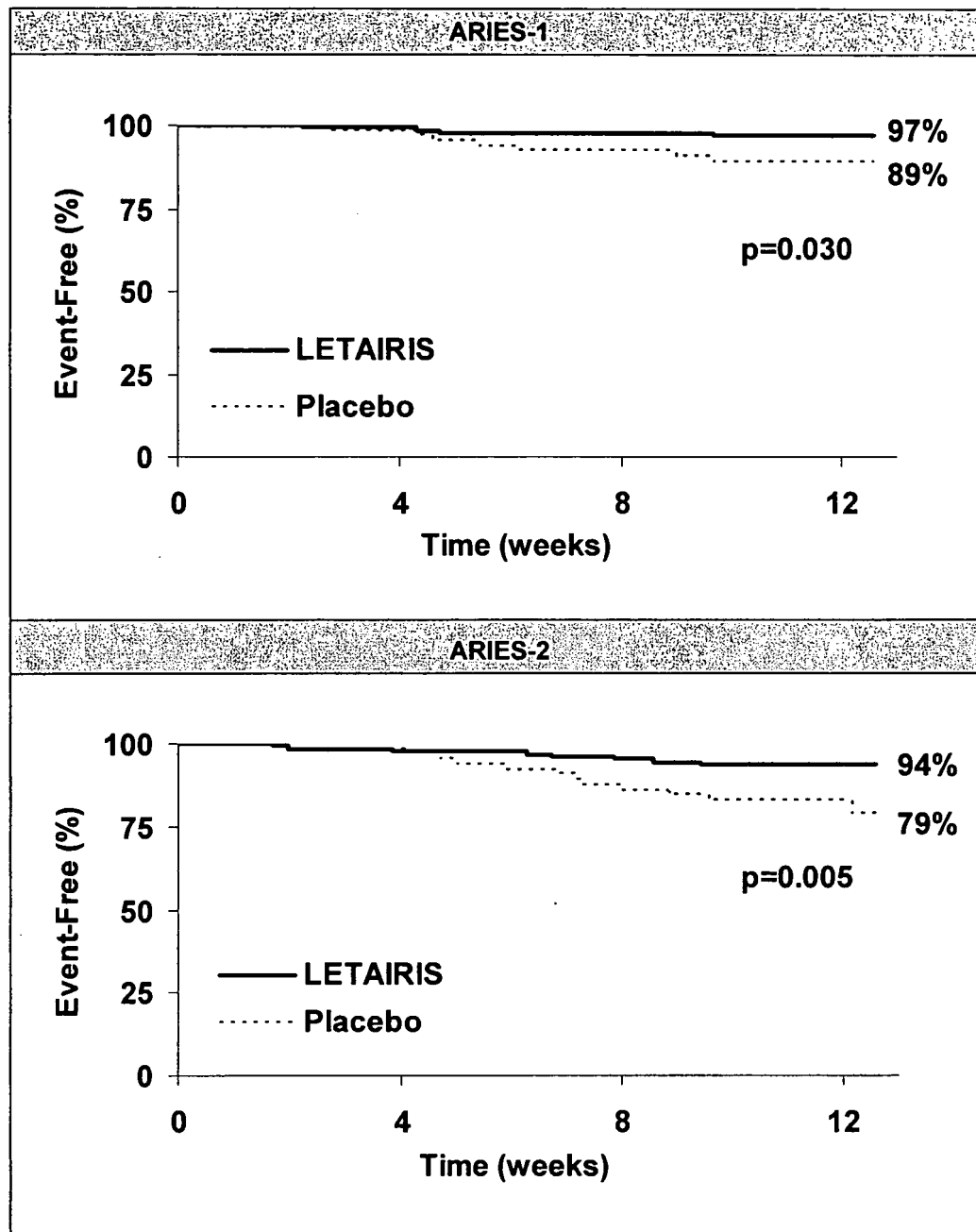
Intention-to-treat population

Note: Patients may have had more than one reason for clinical worsening.

Nominal p-values

There was a significant delay in the time to clinical worsening for patients receiving LETAIRIS compared to placebo. Results in subgroups such as the elderly were also favorable.

Figure 3 Time to Clinical Worsening



Time from randomization to clinical worsening with Kaplan-Meier estimates of the proportions of failures in ARIES-1 and ARIES-2.

p-values shown are the log-rank comparisons of LETAIRIS to placebo stratified by idiopathic PAH and non-idiopathic PAH patients

14.2 Long-term Treatment of PAH

The long-term follow-up of the patients who were treated with LETAIRIS in the two pivotal studies and their open-label extension (N=383) shows that 95% were still alive at one year and 94% were still receiving LETAIRIS monotherapy. These uncontrolled observations do not allow comparison with a group not given LETAIRIS and cannot be used to determine the long-term effect of LETAIRIS.

14.3 Use in Patients with Prior Endothelin Receptor Antagonist (ERA) Related Liver Function Abnormalities

In an uncontrolled, open-label study, 36 patients who had previously discontinued endothelin receptor antagonists (ERAs: bosentan, an investigational drug, or both) due to aminotransferase elevations $>3 \times$ upper limit of normal (ULN) were treated with LETAIRIS. Prior elevations were predominantly moderate, with 64% of the ALT elevations $<5 \times$ ULN, but 9 patients had elevations $>8 \times$ ULN. Eight patients had been re-challenged with bosentan and/or the investigational ERA and all eight had a recurrence of aminotransferase abnormalities that required discontinuation of ERA therapy. All patients had to have normal aminotransferase levels on entry to this study. Twenty-five of the 36 patients were also receiving prostanoid and/or phosphodiesterase type 5 (PDE5) inhibitor therapy. Two patients discontinued early (including one of the patients with a prior $8 \times$ ULN elevation). Of the remaining 34 patients, one patient experienced a mild aminotransferase elevation at 12 weeks on LETAIRIS 5 mg that resolved with decreasing the dosage to 2.5 mg, and that did not recur with later escalations to 10 mg. With a median follow-up of 13 months and with 50% of patients increasing the dose of LETAIRIS to 10 mg, no patients were discontinued for aminotransferase elevations. While the uncontrolled study design does not provide information about what would have occurred with re-administration of previously used ERAs or show that LETAIRIS led to fewer aminotransferase elevations than would have been seen with those drugs, the study indicates that LETAIRIS may be tried in patients who have experienced asymptomatic aminotransferase elevations on other ERAs after aminotransferase levels have returned to normal.

16 HOW SUPPLIED/STORAGE AND HANDLING

Because of the risk of liver injury and birth defects, LETAIRIS may be prescribed only through the LETAIRIS Education and Access Program (LEAP) by calling 1-866-664-LEAP (5327) or by logging on to www.letairis.com. Adverse events can also be reported directly via this number.

LETAIRIS film-coated, unscored tablets are supplied as follows:

Package Configuration	Tablet Strength	NDC No.	Description of Tablet; Debossed on Tablet; Size
30 count blister	5 mg	61958-0801-2	Square convex, pale pink; "5" on side 1 and "GSI" on side 2; 6.6 mm Square
30 count blister	10 mg	61958-0802-2	Oval convex; deep pink; "10" on side 1 and "GSI" on side 2; 9.8 mm x 4.9 mm Oval

Rx only

Store at 25 °C (77 °F); excursions permitted to 15-30 °C (59-86 °F) [see USP controlled room temperature]. Store LETAIRIS in its original packaging.

17 PATIENT COUNSELING INFORMATION

As a part of patient counseling, doctors must review the LETAIRIS Medication Guide with every patient [see FDA-Approved Medication Guide (17.5)].

17.1 Importance of Preventing Pregnancy

Patients should be advised that LETAIRIS may cause fetal harm. LETAIRIS treatment should only be initiated in women of childbearing potential following a negative pregnancy test. Women of childbearing potential should be informed of the importance of monthly pregnancy tests and the need to use two different forms of contraception including at least one primary form simultaneously during LETAIRIS treatment and for one month following treatment discontinuation. Primary forms of contraception other than tubal sterilization include hormonal (combination oral contraceptives, transdermal patch, injectables, implantables, or vaginal ring), IUD, and a partner's vasectomy. A Copper T 380A IUD or LNG 20 IUD can be used alone, i.e. without a secondary form of contraception, as can tubal sterilization. Patients should be instructed to immediately contact their physician if they suspect they may be pregnant [see Prescribing and Distribution Program for LETAIRIS (5.5)].

17.2 Adverse Liver Effects

Patients should be advised of the importance of monthly liver function testing and instructed to immediately report any symptoms of potential liver injury (such as anorexia, nausea, vomiting, fever, malaise, fatigue, right upper quadrant abdominal discomfort, jaundice, dark urine or itching) to their physician.

17.3 Hematological Change

Patients should be advised of the importance of hemoglobin testing.

17.4 Administration

Patients should be advised not to split, crush, or chew tablets.

17.5 FDA-Approved Medication Guide

*Sections or subsections omitted from the full prescribing information are not listed.

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Medication Guide
LETAIRIS™ (le-TAIR-is)
Tablets
(ambrisentan)

Read this Medication Guide before you start taking LETAIRIS and each time you get a refill. There may be new information. This Medication Guide does not take the place of talking with your doctor about your medical condition or your treatment.

What is the most important information I should know about LETAIRIS?

- **Possible liver injury.**

LETAIRIS can cause liver injury. You must have a blood test to check your liver function before you start LETAIRIS and each month after that. Your doctor will order these blood tests. (See “What are the possible side effects of LETAIRIS?” for information about the signs of liver problems.) **Tell your doctor if you have had moderate or severe liver problems, including liver problems while taking other medicines.**

- **Serious birth defects.**

LETAIRIS can cause serious birth defects if taken during pregnancy. **Women must not be pregnant when they start taking LETAIRIS or become pregnant during treatment.** Women who are able to get pregnant must have a negative pregnancy test before beginning treatment with LETAIRIS and each month during treatment. Your doctor will decide when to do the test, depending on your menstrual cycle.

Women who are able to get pregnant must use two different reliable forms of birth control at the same time, during LETAIRIS treatment and for one month after stopping LETAIRIS. Talk with your doctor or gynecologist (a doctor who specializes in female reproduction) to find out about how to prevent pregnancy. **Do not have unprotected sex. Tell your doctor right away if you miss a menstrual period or think you may be pregnant.**

LETAIRIS is available only through a restricted program called the LETAIRIS Education and Access Program (LEAP). To receive LETAIRIS, you must talk to your doctor, understand the benefits and risks of LETAIRIS, and agree to all of the instructions in the LEAP program.

What is LETAIRIS?

LETAIRIS is a prescription medicine to treat pulmonary arterial hypertension (PAH), which is high blood pressure in the arteries of your lungs.

LETAIRIS can improve your ability to exercise and it can help slow down the worsening of your physical condition and symptoms.

Who should not take LETAIRIS?

Do not take LETAIRIS if:

- **you are pregnant, plan to become pregnant, or become pregnant during treatment with LETAIRIS. LETAIRIS can cause serious birth defects.** (See “What is the most important information I should know about LETAIRIS?”) Serious birth defects from LETAIRIS happen early in pregnancy.
- **your blood tests show possible liver injury.**

Tell your doctor about all your medical conditions and all the medicines you take including prescription and nonprescription medicines. LETAIRIS and other medicines may affect each other causing side effects. Do not start any new medicines until you check with your doctor.

LETAIRIS has not been studied in children.

How should I take LETAIRIS?

LETAIRIS will be mailed to you by a specialty pharmacy. Your doctor will give you complete details.

- Take LETAIRIS exactly as your doctor tells you. Do not stop taking LETAIRIS unless your doctor tells you.
- You can take LETAIRIS with or without food.
- Do not split, crush or chew LETAIRIS tablets.
- It will be easier to remember to take LETAIRIS if you take it at the same time each day.
- If you take more than your regular dose of LETAIRIS, call your doctor right away.
- If you miss a dose, take it as soon as you remember that day. Take your next dose at the regular time. Do not take two doses at the same time to make up for a missed dose.
- During treatment your doctor will test your blood for signs of side effects to your liver and red blood cells.

What should I avoid while taking LETAIRIS?

- **Do not get pregnant** while taking LETAIRIS. (See the serious birth defects section of “What is the most important information I should know about LETAIRIS?”) If you miss a menstrual period, or think you might be pregnant, call your doctor right away.
- **Breastfeeding is not recommended** while taking LETAIRIS. It is not known if LETAIRIS can pass through your milk and harm your baby.

What are the possible side effects of LETAIRIS?

Serious side effects of LETAIRIS include:

- **Possible liver injury.** (See “What is the most important information I should know about LETAIRIS?”) Call your doctor right away if you have any of these symptoms of liver problems: loss of appetite, nausea, vomiting, fever, unusual tiredness, right upper stomach pain, yellowing of the skin or the whites of your eyes (jaundice), dark urine, or itching.
- **Serious birth defects.** (See “What is the most important information I should know about LETAIRIS?”)
- **Low sperm count.** LETAIRIS can lower sperm count in animals. If this happens in men, they may lose the ability to father children. Talk with your doctor if you have any questions or concerns.

The most common side effects of LETAIRIS are:

- Lowering of red blood cell count
- Swelling of legs and ankles (edema)
- Stuffy nose (nasal congestion)
- Inflamed nasal passages (sinusitis)
- Hot flashes or getting red in the face (flushing)
- Feeling your heart beat (palpitations)
- Red and sore throat and nose
- Stomach pain
- Constipation
- Shortness of breath
- Headache

How should I store LETAIRIS?

Store LETAIRIS at less than 86 °F (30 °C), in the package it comes in.

General information about LETAIRIS

Medicines are sometimes prescribed for purposes other than those listed in a Medication Guide. If you have any concerns or questions about LETAIRIS, ask your doctor or other healthcare provider. This Medication Guide is only a summary of some important information about LETAIRIS. Your doctor can give you information about LETAIRIS that was written for healthcare professionals. Do not use LETAIRIS

for any condition other than that for which it was prescribed. Do not share LETAIRIS with other people. It may harm them.

Call 1-866-664-LEAP (5327) or visit www.letairis.com or www.gilead.com for more information.

What are the ingredients in LETAIRIS?

Active ingredient: ambrisentan

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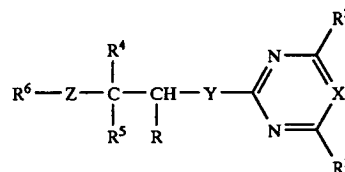
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[57] **ABSTRACT**

Carboxylic acid derivatives



where R-R⁶, X, Y and Z have the meanings stated in the description, and the preparation thereof, are described. The novel compounds are suitable for controlling diseases.

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CARBOXYLIC ACID DERIVATIVES, THEIR PREPARATION AND USE

The present invention relates to novel carboxylic acid derivatives, their preparation and use.

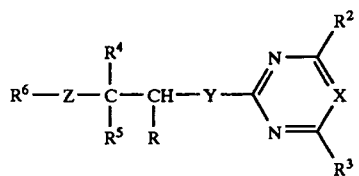
Endothelin is a peptide which is composed of 21 amino acids and is synthesized and released by the vascular endothelium. Endothelin exists in three isoforms, ET-1, ET-2 and ET-3. In the following text, "endothelin" or "ET" signifies one or all isoforms of endothelin. Endothelin is a potent vasoconstrictor and has a potent effect on vessel tone. It is known that this vasoconstriction is caused by binding of endothelin to its receptor (Nature, 332, (1988) 411-415; FEBS Letters, 231, (1988) 440-444 and Biochem. Biophys. Res. Commun., 154, (1988) 868-875).

Increased or abnormal release of endothelin causes persistent vasoconstriction in the peripheral, renal and cerebral blood vessels, which may lead to illnesses. It has been reported in the literature that elevated plasma levels of endothelin were found in patients with hypertension, acute myocardial infarct, pulmonary hypertension, Raynaud's syndrome, atherosclerosis and in the airways of asthmatics (Japan J. Hypertension, 12, (1989) 79, J. Vascular Med. Biology 2, (1990) 207, J. Am. Med. Association 264, (1990) 2868).

Accordingly, substances which specifically inhibit the binding of endothelin to the receptor ought also to antagonize the various abovementioned physiological effects of endothelin and therefore be valuable drugs.

We have found that certain carboxylic acid derivatives are good inhibitors of endothelin receptors.

The invention relates to carboxylic acid derivatives of the formula I



where R is formyl, tetrazole [sic], nitrile [sic], a COOH group or a radical which can be hydrolyzed to COOH, and the other substituents have the following meanings:

R² hydrogen, hydroxyl, NH₂, NH(C₁-C₄-alkyl), N(C₁-C₄-alkyl)₂, halogen, C₁-C₄-alkyl, C₁-C₄-haloalkyl, C₁-C₄-alkoxy, C₁-C₄-haloalkoxy or C₁-C₄-alkylthio;

X nitrogen or CR¹⁴ where R¹⁴ is hydrogen or C₁₋₅-alkyl, or CR¹⁴ forms together with CR³ a 5- or 6-membered alkylene or alkenylene ring which can be substituted by one or two C₁₋₄-alkyl groups and in which in each case a methylene group can be replaced by oxygen, sulfur, —NH or —NC₁₋₄-alkyl;

R³ hydrogen, hydroxyl, NH₂, NH(C₁-C₄-Alkyl), N(C₁-C₄-alkyl)₂, halogen, C₁-C₄-alkyl, C₁-C₄-haloalkyl, C₁-C₄-alkoxy, C₁-C₄-haloalkoxy, —NH—O—C₁₋₄-alkyl, C₁-C₄-alkylthio or CR³ is linked to CR¹⁴ as indicated above to give a 5- or 6-membered ring;

R⁴ and R⁵ (which can be identical or different): phenyl or naphthyl, which can be substituted by one or more of the following radicals: halogen, nitro, cyano, hydroxyl, C₁-C₄-alkyl, C₁-C₄-haloalkyl, C₁-C₄-

alkoxy, C₁-C₄-haloalkoxy, phenoxy, C₁-C₄-alkylthio, amino, C₁-C₄-alkylamino or C₁-C₄-dialkylamino; or

phenyl or naphthyl, which are connected together in the ortho positions via a direct linkage, a methylene, ethylene or ethenylene group, an oxygen or sulfur atom or an SO₂-, NH- or N-alkyl group, or C₃-C₇-cycloalkyl;

R⁶ hydrogen, C₁-C₈-alkyl, C₃-C₆-alkenyl, C₃-C₆-alkynyl or C₃-C₈-cycloalkyl, where each of these radicals can be substituted one or more times by: halogen, nitro, cyano, C₁-C₄-alkoxy, C₃-C₆-alkenyl, C₃-C₆-alkynyl, C₁-C₄-alkylthio, C₁-C₄-haloalkoxy, C₁-C₄-alkylcarbonyl, C₁-C₄-alkoxycarbonyl, C₃₋₈-alkylcarbonylalkyl, C₁-C₄-alkylamino, di-C₁-C₄-alkylamino, phenyl or phenyl or phenoxy which is substituted one or more times, eg. one to three times, by halogen, nitro, cyano, C₁-C₄-alkyl, C₁-C₄-haloalkyl, C₁-C₄-alkoxy, C₁-C₄-haloalkoxy or C₁-C₄-alkylthio; phenyl or naphthyl, each of which can be substituted by one or more of the following radicals: halogen, nitro, cyano, hydroxyl, amino, C₁-C₄-alkyl, C₁-C₄-haloalkyl, C₁-C₄-alkoxy, C₁-C₄-haloalkoxy, phenoxy, C₁-C₄-alkylthio, C₁-C₄-alkylamino, C₁-C₄-dialkylamino, dioxomethylene [sic] or dioxoethylene [sic];

a five- or six-membered heteroaromatic moiety containing one to three nitrogen atoms and/or one sulfur or oxygen atom, which can carry one to four halogen atoms and/or one or two of the following radicals: C₁-C₄-alkyl, C₁-C₄-haloalkyl, C₁-C₄-alkoxy, C₁-C₄-haloalkoxy, C₁-C₄-alkylthio, phenyl, phenoxy or phenylcarbonyl, it being possible for the phenyl radicals in turn to carry one to five halogen atoms and/or one to three of the following radicals: C₁-C₄-alkyl, C₁-C₄-haloalkyl, C₁-C₄-alkoxy, C₁-C₄-haloalkoxy and/or C₁-C₄-alkylthio; with the proviso that R⁶ can be hydrogen only when Z is not a single bond;

Y sulfur or oxygen or a single bond;

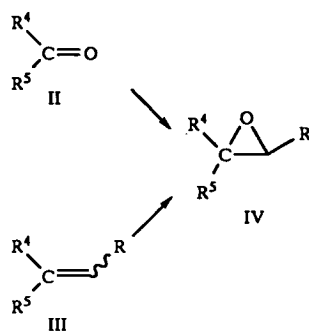
Z sulfur or oxygen or a single bond.

The compounds, and the intermediates for preparing them, such as IV and VI, may have one or more asymmetrical substituted carbon atoms. Such compounds may be in the form of the pure enantiomers or pure diastereomers or a mixture thereof. The use of an enantiomerically pure compound as active substance is preferred.

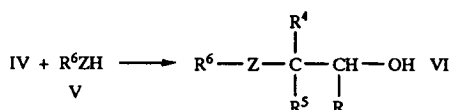
The invention furthermore relates to the use of the abovementioned carboxylic acid derivatives for producing drugs, in particular for producing endothelin receptor inhibitors.

The invention furthermore relates to the preparation of the compounds of the formula IV in enantiomerically pure form. Enantioselective epoxidation of an olefin with two phenyl substituents is known (J. Org. Chem. 59, 1994, 4378-4380). We have now found, surprisingly, that even ester groups in these systems permit epoxidation in high optical purity.

The preparation of the compounds according to the invention where Z is sulfur or oxygen starts from the epoxides IV, which are obtained in a conventional manner, eg. as described in J. March, Advanced Organic Chemistry, 2nd ed., 1983, page 862 and page 750, from the ketones II or the olefins III:



Carboxylic acid derivatives of the general formula VI can be prepared by reacting the epoxides of the general formula IV (eg. with $R=ROOR^{10}$ [sic]) with alcohols or thiols of the general formula V where R^6 and Z have the meanings stated in claim 1.



To do this, compounds of the general formula IV are heated with compounds of the formula V, in the molar ratio of about 1:1 to 1:7, preferably 1 to 3 mole equivalents, to 50–200° C., preferably 80–150° C.

The reaction can also take place in the presence of a diluent. All solvents which are inert toward the reagents used can be used for this purpose.

Examples of such solvents or diluents are water, aliphatic, alicyclic and aromatic hydrocarbons, which may in each case be chlorinated, such as hexane, cyclohexane, petroleum ether, naphtha, benzene, toluene, xylene, methylene chloride, chloroform, carbon tetrachloride, ethyl chloride and trichloroethylene, ethers such as diisopropyl ether, dibutyl ether, methyl tert-butyl ether, propylene oxide, dioxane and tetrahydrofuran, ketones such as acetone, methyl ethyl ketone, methyl isopropyl ketone and methyl isobutyl ketone, nitriles such as acetonitrile and propionitrile, alcohols, such as methanol, ethanol, isopropanol, butanol and ethylene glycol, esters such as ethyl acetate and amyl acetate, amides such as dimethylformamide, dimethylacetamide and N-methylpyrrolidone, sulfoxides and sulfones, such as dimethyl sulfoxide and sulfolane, bases such as pyridine, cyclic ureas such as 1,3-dimethylimidazolidin-2-one and 1,3-dimethyl-3,4,5,6-tetrahydro-2(1H)-pyrimidinone.

The reaction is preferably carried out at a temperature in the range from 0° C. to the boiling point of the solvent or mixture of solvents.

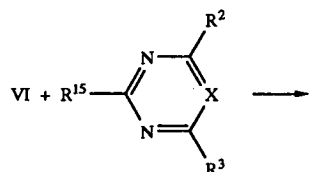
The presence of a catalyst may be advantageous. Suitable catalysts are strong organic and inorganic acids, and Lewis acids. Examples thereof are, inter alia, sulfuric acid, hydrochloric acid, trifluoroacetic acid, p-toluenesulfonic acid, boron trifluoride etherate and titanium(IV) alcoholates.

Compounds of the formula VI where R⁴ and R⁵ are cycloalkyl can also be prepared by subjecting compounds of the formula VI where R⁴ and R⁵ are phenyl, naphthyl, or phenyl or naphthyl substituted as described above, to a nuclear hydrogenation.

Compounds of the formula VI can be obtained in enantiomerically pure form by starting from enantiomerically pure compounds of the formula IV and reacting them in the manner described with compounds of the formula V.

It is furthermore possible to obtain enantiomerically pure compounds of the formula VI by carrying out a classical racemate resolution on racemic or diastereomeric compounds of the formula VI using suitable enantiomerically pure bases such as brucine, strychnine, quinine, quinidine, chinchonidine [sic], chinchonine [sic], yohimbine, morphine, dehydroabietylamine, ephedrine (-), (+), deoxyephedrine (+), (-), threo-2-amino-1-(p-nitrophenyl)-1,3-propanediol (+), (-), threo-2-(N,N-dimethylamino)-1-(p-nitrophenyl)-1,3-propanediol (+), (-) threo-2-amino-1-phenyl-1,3-propanediol (+), (-), α -methylbenzylamine (+), (-), α -(1-naphthyl)ethylamine (+), (-), α -(2-naphthyl)ethylamine (+), (-), aminomethylpinane, N,N-dimethyl-1-phenylethylamine, N-methyl-1-phenylethylamine, 4-nitrophenylethylamine, pseudoephedrine, norephedrine, norpseudoephedrine, amino acid derivatives, peptide derivatives.

20 The compounds according to the invention where Y is oxygen, and the remaining substituents have the meanings stated under the general formula I, can be prepared, for example, by reacting the carboxylic acid derivatives of the general formula VI where the substituents have the stated
25 meanings with compounds of the general formula VII

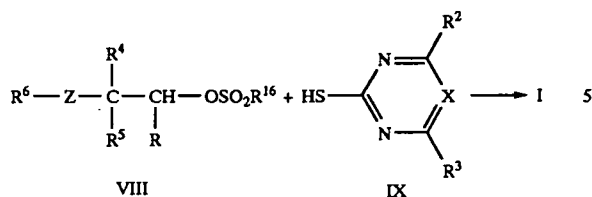


where R^{15} is halogen or $R^{16}-SO_2-$, where R^{16} can be C_1-C_4 -alkyl, C_1-C_4 -haloalkyl or phenyl. The reaction preferably takes place in one of the abovementioned inert
40 diluents with the addition of a suitable base, i.e. of a base which deprotonates the intermediate VI, in a temperature range from room temperature to the boiling point of the solvent.

45 Compounds of the formula VII are known, some of them
can be bought, or they can be prepared in a generally known
manner.

It is possible to use as base an alkali metal or alkaline earth metal hydride such as sodium hydride, potassium hydride or calcium hydride, a carbonate such as an alkali metal carbonate, eg. sodium or potassium carbonate, an alkali metal or alkaline earth metal hydroxide such as sodium or potassium hydroxide, an organometallic compound such as butyllithium, or an alkali metal amide such as lithium diisopropylamide.

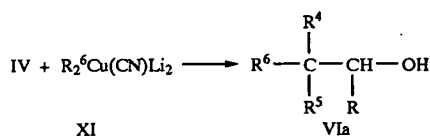
The compounds according to the invention where Y is sulfur, and the remaining substituents have the meanings
60 stated under the general formula I, can be prepared, for example, by reacting carboxylic acid derivatives of the general formula VIII, which can be obtained in a known manner from compounds of the general formula VI and in
65 which the substituents have the abovementioned meanings, with compounds of the general formula IX, where R², R³ and X have the meanings stated under general formula I.



The reaction preferably takes place in one of the above-mentioned inert diluents with the addition of a suitable base, ie. a base which deprotonates the intermediate IX, in a temperature range from room temperature to the boiling point of the solvent.

It is possible to use as base, besides those mentioned above, organic bases such as triethylamine, pyridine, imidazole or diazabicycloundecane [sic].

Carboxylic acid derivatives of the formula VIa (z in formula VI=direct linkage) can be prepared by reacting epoxides of the formula IV with cuprates of the formula XI:



The cuprates can be prepared as described in Tetrahedron Letters 23, (1982) 3755.

Compounds of the formula I can also be prepared by starting from the corresponding carboxylic acids, ie. compounds of the formula I where R is COOH, and initially converting these in a conventional manner into an activated form, such as a halide, an anhydride or imidazolid, and then reacting the latter with an appropriate hydroxy compound HOR¹⁰. This reaction can be carried out in the usual solvents and often requires addition of a base, in which case those mentioned above are suitable. These two steps can also be simplified, for example, by allowing the carboxylic acid to act on the hydroxy compound in the presence of a dehydrating agent such as a carbodiimide.

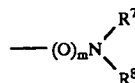
In addition, it is also possible for compounds of the formula I to be prepared by starting from the salts of the corresponding carboxylic acids, ie. from compounds of the formula I where R is COR¹ and R¹ is OM, where M can be an alkali metal cation or the equivalent of an alkaline earth metal cation. These salts can be reacted with many compounds of the formula R¹-A where A is a conventional nucleofugic leaving group, for example halogen such as chlorine, bromine, iodine or aryl- or alkylsulfonyl which is unsubstituted or substituted by halogen, alkyl or haloalkyl, such as toluenesulfonyl and methylsulfonyl, or another equivalent leaving group. Compounds of the formula R¹-A with a reactive substituent A are known or can be easily obtained with general expert knowledge. This reaction can be carried out in conventional solvents and advantageously takes place with the addition of a base, in which case those mentioned above are suitable.

The radical R in formula I may vary widely. For example, R is a group



where R¹ has the following meanings:

- a) hydrogen;
- b) succinylimidoxy [sic];
- c) a five-membered heteroaromatic moiety linked by a nitrogen atom, such as pyrrolyl, pyrazolyl, imidazolyl and triazolyl, which may carry one or two halogen atoms, in particular fluorine and chlorine and/or one or two of the following radicals:
 - C₁-C₄-alkyl such as methyl, ethyl, 1-propyl, 2-propyl, 2-methyl-2-propyl, 2-methyl-1-propyl, 1-butyl, 2-butyl;
 - C₁-C₄-haloalkyl, in particular C₁-C₂-haloalkyl such as fluoromethyl, difluoromethyl, trifluoromethyl, chlorodifluoromethyl, dichlorofluoromethyl, trichloromethyl, 1-fluoroethyl, 2-fluoroethyl, 2,2-difluoroethyl, 2,2,2-trifluoroethyl, 2-chloro-2,2-difluoroethyl, 2,2-dichloro-2-fluoroethyl, 2,2,2-trichloroethyl and pentafluoroethyl;
 - C₁-C₄-haloalkoxy, in particular C₁-C₂-haloalkoxy such as difluoromethoxy, trifluoromethoxy, chlorodifluoromethoxy, 1-fluoroethoxy, 2-fluoroethoxy, 2,2-difluoroethoxy, 1,1,2,2-tetrafluoroethoxy, 2,2,2-trifluoroethoxy, 2-chloro-1,1,2-trifluoroethoxy and pentafluoroethoxy, in particular trifluoromethoxy;
 - C₁-C₄-alkoxy such as methoxy, ethoxy, propoxy, 1-methylethoxy, butoxy, 1-methylpropoxy, 2-methylpropoxy, 1,1-dimethylethoxy, in particular methoxy, ethoxy, 1-methylethoxy;
 - C₁-C₄-alkylthio such as methylthio, ethylthio, propylthio, 1-methylethylthio, butylthio, 1-methylpropylthio, 2-methylpropylthio, 1,1-dimethylethylthio, in particular methylthio and ethylthio;
- d) R¹ furthermore a radical



where m is 0 or 1 and R⁷ and R⁸, which can be identical or different, have the following meanings:

- hydrogen
- C₁-C₈-alkyl, in particular C₁-C₄-alkyl as mentioned above;
- C₃-C₆-alkenyl such as 2-propenyl, 2-butenyl, 3-butenyl, 1-methyl-2-propenyl, 2-methyl-2-propenyl, 2-pentenyl, 3-pentenyl, 4-pentenyl, 1-methyl-2-butenyl, 2-methyl-2-butenyl, 3-methyl-2-butenyl, 1-methyl-3-butenyl, 2-methyl-3-butenyl, 3-methyl-3-butenyl, 1,1-dimethyl-2-propenyl, 1,2-dimethyl-2-propenyl, 1-ethyl-2-propenyl, 2-hexenyl, 3-hexenyl, 4-hexenyl, 5-hexenyl, 1-methyl-2-pentenyl, 2-methyl-2-pentenyl, 3-methyl-2-pentenyl, 4-methyl-2-pentenyl, 3-methyl-3-pentenyl, 4-methyl-3-pentenyl, 1-methyl-4-pentenyl, 2-methyl-4-pentenyl, 3-methyl-4-pentenyl, 4-methyl-4-pentenyl, 1,1-dimethyl-2-butenyl, 1,1-dimethyl-3-butenyl, 1,2-dimethyl-2-butenyl, 1,2-dimethyl-3-butenyl, 1,3-dimethyl-2-

butenyl, 1,3-dimethyl-3-butenyl, 2,2-dimethyl-3-butenyl, 2,3-dimethyl-2-butenyl, 2,3-dimethyl-3-butenyl, 1-ethyl-2-butenyl, 1-ethyl-3-butenyl, 2-ethyl-2-butenyl, 2-ethyl-3-butenyl, 1,1,2-trimethyl-2-propenyl, 1-ethyl-1-methyl-2-propenyl and 1-ethyl-2-methyl-2-propenyl, in particular 2-propenyl, 2-butenyl, 3-methyl-2-butenyl and 3-methyl-2-pentenyl;

C₃-C₆-alkynyl such as 2-propynyl, 2-butylnyl, 3-butylnyl, 1-methyl-2-propynyl, 2-pentynyl, 3-pentynyl, 4-pentynyl, 1-methyl-3-butylnyl, 2-methyl-3-butylnyl, 1-methyl-2-butylnyl, 1,1-dimethyl-2-propynyl, 1-ethyl-2-propynyl, 2-hexynyl, 3-hexynyl, 4-hexynyl, 5-hexynyl, 1-methyl-2-pentynyl, 1-methyl-2-pentynyl, 1-methyl-3-pentynyl, 1-methyl-4-pentynyl, 2-methyl-3-pentynyl, 2-methyl-4-pentynyl, 3-methyl-4-pentynyl, 4-methyl-2-pentynyl, 1,1-dimethyl-2-butylnyl, 1,1-dimethyl-3-butylnyl, 1,2-dimethyl-3-butylnyl, 2,2-dimethyl-3-butylnyl, 1-ethyl-2-butylnyl, 1-ethyl-3-butylnyl, 2-ethyl-3-butylnyl and 1-ethyl-1-methyl-2-propynyl, preferably 2-propynyl, 2-butylnyl, 1-methyl-2-propynyl and 1-methyl-2-butylnyl, in particular 2-propynyl

C₃-C₈-cycloalkyl such as cyclopropyl, cyclobutyl, cyclopentyl, cyclohexyl and cycloheptyl, cyclooctyl, where these alkyl, cycloalkyl, alkenyl and alkynyl groups can each carry one to five halogen atoms, in particular fluorine or chlorine and/or one or two of the following groups:

C₁-C₄-alkyl, C₁-C₄-alkoxy, C₁-C₄-alkylthio, C₁-C₄-haloalkoxy as mentioned above, C₃-C₆-alkenyl, C₃-C₆-alkenylthio, C₃-C₆-alkynyl, C₃-C₆-alkynylthio, where the alkenyl and alkynyl constituents present in these radicals preferably have the abovementioned meanings;

C₁-C₄-alkylcarbonyl such as, in particular, methylcarbonyl, ethylcarbonyl, propylcarbonyl, 1-methylethylcarbonyl, butylcarbonyl, 1-methylpropylcarbonyl, 2-methylpropylcarbonyl, 1,1-dimethylethylcarbonyl;

C₁-C₄-alkoxycarbonyl such as methoxycarbonyl, ethoxycarbonyl, propyloxycarbonyl, 1-methylethoxycarbonyl, butyloxycarbonyl, 1-methylpropyloxycarbonyl, 2-methylpropyloxycarbonyl, 1,1-dimethylethoxycarbonyl;

C₃-C₆-alkenylcarbonyl, C₃-C₆-alkynylcarbonyl, C₃-C₆-alkenylloxycarbonyl and C₃-C₆-alkynylloxycarbonyl, where the alkenyl and alkynyl radicals are preferably defined as detailed above;

phenyl, unsubstituted or substituted one or more times, eg. one to three times, by halogen, nitro, cyano, C₁-C₄-alkyl, C₁-C₄-haloalkyl, C₁-C₄-alkoxy, C₁-C₄-haloalkoxy or C₁-C₄-alkylthio, such as 2-fluorophenyl, 3-chlorophenyl, 4-bromophenyl, 2-methylphenyl, 3-nitrophenyl, 4-cyanophenyl, 2-trifluoromethylphenyl, 3-methoxyphenyl, 4-trifluoroethoxyphenyl, 2-methylthiophenyl, 2,4-dichlorophenyl, 2-methoxy-3-methylphenyl, 2,4-dimethoxyphenyl, 2-nitro-5-cyanophenyl, 2,6-difluorophenyl;

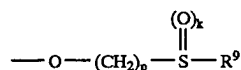
di-C₁-C₄-alkylamino such as, in particular, dimethylamino, dipropylamino, N-propyl-N-

methylamino, N-propyl-N-ethylamino, diisopropylamino, N-isopropyl-N-methylamino, N-isopropyl-N-ethylamino, N-isopropyl-N-propylamino;

R⁷ and R⁸ furthermore phenyl which can be substituted by one or more, eg. one to three, of the following radicals: halogen, nitro, cyano, C₁-C₄-alkyl, C₁-C₄-haloalkyl, C₁-C₄-alkoxy, C₁-C₄-haloalkoxy or C₁-C₄-alkylthio, as mentioned above in particular;

or R⁷ and R⁸ together form a C₄-C₇-alkylene chain which is closed to form a ring, is unsubstituted or substituted, eg. substituted by C₁-C₄-alkyl, and may contain a heteroatom selected from the group consisting of oxygen, sulfur or nitrogen, such as —(CH₂)₄—, —(CH₂)₅—, —(CH₂)₆—, —(CH₂)₇—, —(CH₂)₂—O—(CH₂)₂—, —CH₂—S—(CH₂)₃—, —(CH₂)₂—O—(CH₂)₃—, —NH—(CH₂)₃—, —CH₂—NH—(CH₂)₂—, —CH₂—CH=CH—CH₂—, —CH=CH—(CH₂)₃—;

e) R¹ furthermore a group



where k is 0, 1 and 2, p is 1, 2, 3 and 4 and R⁹ is

C₁-C₄-alkyl, C₁-C₄-haloalkyl, C₃-C₆-alkenyl, C₃-C₆-alkynyl or unsubstituted or substituted phenyl, as mentioned above in particular.

f) R¹ furthermore a radical OR¹⁰, where R¹⁰ is:

hydrogen, the cation of an alkali metal such as lithium, sodium, potassium or the cation of an alkaline earth metal such as calcium, magnesium and barium or an environmentally compatible organic ammonium ion such as tertiary C₁-C₄-alkylammonium or the ammonium ion;

C₃-C₈-cycloalkyl as mentioned above, which may carry one to three C₁-C₄-alkyl groups;

C₁-C₈-alkyl such as, in particular, methyl, ethyl, propyl, 1-methylethyl, butyl, 1-methylpropyl, 2-methylpropyl, 1,1-dimethylethyl, pentyl, 1-methylbutyl, 2-methylbutyl, 3-methylbutyl, 1,2-dimethylpropyl, 1,1-dimethylpropyl, 2,2-dimethylpropyl, 1-ethylpropyl, hexyl, 1-methylpentyl, 2-methylpentyl, 3-methylpentyl, 4-methylpentyl, 1,2-dimethylbutyl, 1,3-dimethylbutyl, 2,3-dimethylbutyl, 1,1-dimethylbutyl, 2,2-dimethylbutyl, 3,3-dimethylbutyl, 1,1,2-trimethylpropyl, 1,2,2-trimethylpropyl, 1-ethylbutyl, 2-ethylbutyl, 1-ethyl-2-methylpropyl, which can carry one to five halogen atoms, in particular fluorine and chlorine and/or one of the following radicals:

C₁-C₄-alkoxy, C₁-C₄-alkylthio, cyano, C₁-C₄-alkylcarbonyl, C₃-C₈-cycloalkyl, C₁-C₄-alkoxycarbonyl, phenyl, phenoxy or phenylcarbonyl, where the aromatic radicals in turn can carry in each case one to five halogen atoms and/or one to three of the following radicals: nitro, cyano, C₁-C₄-alkyl, C₁-C₄-haloalkyl, C₁-C₄-alkoxy, C₁-C₄-haloalkoxy and/or C₁-C₄-alkylthio, as mentioned above in particular;

a) C₁-C₈-alkyl as mentioned above, which can carry one to five halogen atoms, in particular fluorine and/or chlorine, and carries one of the following

radicals: a 5-membered heteroaromatic moiety containing one to three nitrogen atoms, or a 5-membered heteroaromatic moiety containing a nitrogen atom and an oxygen or sulfur atom, which can carry one to four halogen atoms and/or one or two of the following radicals:

nitro, cyano, C₁-C₄-alkyl, C₁-C₄-haloalkyl, C₁-C₄-alkoxy, phenyl, C₁-C₄-haloalkoxy and/or C₁-C₄-alkylthio. Particular mention may be made of: 1-pyrazolyl, 3-methyl-1-pyrazolyl, 4-methyl-1-pyrazolyl, 3,5-dimethyl-1-pyrazolyl, 3-phenyl-1-pyrazolyl, 4-phenyl-1-pyrazolyl, 4-chloro-1-pyrazolyl, 4-bromo-1-pyrazolyl, 1-imidazolyl, 1-benzimidazolyl, 1,2,4-triazol-1-yl, 3-methyl-1,2,4-triazol-1-yl, 5-methyl-1,2,4-triazol-1-yl, 1-benzotriazolyl, 3-isopropyl-5-isoxazolyl, 3-methyl-5-isoxazolyl, 2-oxazolyl, 2-thiazolyl, 2-imidazolyl, 3-ethyl-5-isoxazolyl, 3-phenyl-5-isoxazolyl, 3-tert-butyl-5-isoxazolyl;

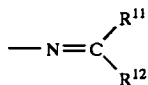
a C₂-C₆-alkyl group which carries one of the following radicals in position 2: C₁-C₄-alkoxyimino, C₃-C₆-alkynyloxyimino, C₃-C₆-haloalkenyloxyimino or benzyloxyimino;

a C₃-C₆-alkenyl or C₃-C₆-alkynyl group, it being possible for these groups in turn to carry one to five halogen atoms;

R¹⁰ furthermore a phenyl radical which can carry one to five halogen atoms and/or one to three of the following radicals: nitro, cyano, C₁-C₄-alkyl, C₁-C₄-haloalkyl, C₁-C₄-alkoxy, C₁-C₄-haloalkoxy and/or C₁-C₄-alkylthio, as mentioned above in particular;

a 5-membered heteroaromatic moiety which is linked via a nitrogen atom, contains one to three nitrogen atoms and can carry one or two halogen atoms and/or one or two of the following radicals: C₁-C₄-alkyl, C₁-C₄-haloalkyl, C₁-C₄-alkoxy, phenyl, C₁-C₄-haloalkoxy and/or C₁-C₄-alkylthio. Particular mention may be made of: 1-pyrazolyl, 3-methyl-1-pyrazolyl, 4-methyl-1-pyrazolyl, 3,5-dimethyl-1-pyrazolyl, 3-phenyl-1-pyrazolyl, 4-phenyl-1-pyrazolyl, 4-chloro-1-pyrazolyl, 4-bromo-1-pyrazolyl, 1-imidazolyl, 1-benzimidazolyl, 1,2,4-triazol-1-yl, 3-methyl-1,2,4-triazol-1-yl, 5-methyl-1,2,4-triazol-1-yl, 1-benzotriazolyl, 3,4-dichloro-1-imidazolyl;

R¹⁰ furthermore a group



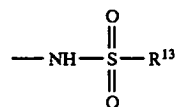
where R¹¹ and R¹², which can be identical or different, are:

C₁-C₈-alkyl, C₃-C₆-alkenyl, C₃-C₆-alkynyl, C₃-C₈-cycloalkyl, it being possible for these radicals to carry a C₁-C₄-alkoxy, C₁-C₄-alkylthio and/or an unsubstituted or substituted phenyl radical, as mentioned above in particular;

phenyl which can be substituted by one or more, eg. one to three, of the following radicals: halogen, nitro, cyano, C₁-C₄-alkyl, C₁-C₄-haloalkyl, C₁-C₄-alkoxy, C₁-C₄-haloalkoxy or C₁-C₄-alkylthio, where these radicals are, in particular, those mentioned above;

or R¹¹ and R¹² together form a C₃-C₁₂-alkylene chain which can carry one to three C₁-C₄-alkyl groups and contain a heteroatom from the group consisting of oxygen, sulfur and nitrogen, as mentioned in particular for R⁷ and R⁸.

g) R¹ furthermore a radical

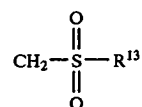


where R¹³ is:

C₁-C₄-alkyl, C₃-C₆-alkenyl, C₃-C₆-alkynyl, C₃-C₈-cycloalkyl as mentioned above in particular, it being possible for these radicals to carry a C₁-C₄-alkoxy, C₁-C₄-alkylthio and/or a phenyl radical as mentioned above;

phenyl, unsubstituted or substituted, in particular as mentioned above.

h) R¹ a radical



where R¹³ has the abovementioned meaning.

R can furthermore be:

tetrazole [sic] or nitrile [sic].

In respect of the biological effect, preferred carboxylic acid derivatives of the general formula I, both as pure enantiomers and pure diastereomers or as mixture thereof, are those where the substituents have the following meanings:

R² hydrogen, hydroxyl, N(C₁-C₄-alkyl)₂, the C₁-C₄-alkyl, C₁-C₄-haloalkyl, C₁-C₄-alkoxy, C₁-C₄-haloalkoxy, C₁-C₄-alkylthio groups and halogen atoms mentioned in detail for R¹, especially chlorine, methyl, methoxy, ethoxy, difluoromethoxy, trifluoromethoxy;

X nitrogen or CR¹⁴ where

R¹⁴ is hydrogen or alkyl, or CR¹⁴ forms together with CR³ a 4- to 5-membered alkylene or alkenylene ring in which, in each case, a methylene group can be replaced by oxygen or sulfur, such as $\text{---CH}_2\text{---CH}_2\text{---O---}$, ---CH=CH---O--- , $\text{---CH}_2\text{---CH}_2\text{---CH}_2\text{---O---}$, $\text{---CH=CH---CH}_2\text{O---}$, in particular hydrogen, $\text{---CH}_2\text{---CH}_2\text{---O---}$, $\text{---CH(CH}_3\text{)---CH(CH}_3\text{)---O---}$, $\text{---C(CH}_3\text{)=C(CH}_3\text{)---O---}$, $\text{---CH=C(CH}_3\text{)---O---}$ or $\text{---C(CH}_3\text{)=C(CH}_3\text{)---S---}$;

R³ the hydrogen, hydroxyl, N(C₁-C₄-alkyl)₂, C₁-C₄-alkyl, C₁-C₄-haloalkyl, C₁-C₄-alkoxy, C₁-C₄-haloalkoxy, C₁-C₄-alkylthio groups and halogen atoms mentioned for R¹, especially chlorine, methyl, methoxy, ethoxy, difluoromethoxy, trifluoromethoxy or is linked to R¹⁴ as mentioned above to give a 5- or 6-membered ring;

R⁴ and R⁵ phenyl or naphthyl, which can be substituted by one or more, eg. one to three, of the following radicals: halogen, nitro, cyano, hydroxyl, mercapto, amino, C₁-C₄-alkyl, C₁-C₄-haloalkyl, C₁-C₄-alkoxy, C₁-C₄-haloalkoxy, C₁-C₄-alkylthio, C₁-C₄-alkylamino, di-C₁-C₄-alkylamino, C₁-C₄-alkylcarbonyl, C₁-C₄-

alkoxycarbonyl; phenyl or naphthyl, which are connected together in the ortho positions by a direct linkage, a methylene, ethylene or ethenylene group, an oxygen or sulfur atom or an SO₂, NH or N-alkyl group, or C₃-C₇-cycloalkyl;

R⁶ C₁-C₈-alkyl, C₃-C₆-alkenyl, C₃-C₆-alkynyl or C₃-C₈-cycloalkyl as mentioned above in particular, it being possible for these radicals in each case to be substituted one or more times by: halogen, hydroxyl, nitro, cyano, C₁-C₄-alkoxy, C₃-C₆-alkenyloxy, C₃-C₆-alkynyloxy, C₁-C₄-alkylthio, C₁-C₄-haloalkoxy, C₁-C₄-alkylcarbonyl, hydroxycarbonyl, C₁-C₄-alkoxycarbonyl, C₁-C₄-alkylamino, di-C₁-C₄-alkylamino or unsubstituted or substituted phenyl or phenoxy, as mentioned above in particular;

phenyl or naphthyl, which can be substituted by one or more of the following radicals: halogen, nitro, cyano, hydroxyl, amino, C₁-C₄-alkyl, C₁-C₄-haloalkyl, C₁-C₄-alkoxy, C₁-C₄-haloalkoxy, phenoxy, C₁-C₄-alkylthio, C₁-C₄-alkylamino [sic] or C₁-C₄-dialkylamino, as mentioned in particular for R⁷ and R⁴;

a five- or six-membered heteroaromatic moiety which contains one to three nitrogen atoms and/or one sulfur or oxygen atom and which can carry one to four halogen atoms and/or one or two of the following radicals: C₁-C₄-alkyl, C₁-C₄-haloalkyl, C₁-C₄-alkoxy, C₁-C₄-haloalkoxy, C₁-C₄-alkylthio, phenyl, phenoxy or phenylcarbonyl, it being possible for the phenyl radicals in turn to carry one to five halogen atoms and/or one to three of the following radicals: C₁-C₄-alkyl, C₁-C₄-haloalkyl, C₁-C₄-alkoxy, C₁-C₄-haloalkoxy and/or C₁-C₄-alkylthio, as mentioned for R⁴ in particular;

Y sulfur, oxygen or a single bond;

Z sulfur, oxygen, —SO—, —SO₂— or a single bond.

Particularly preferred compounds of the formula I, both as pure enantiomers and pure diastereomers or as mixture thereof, are those in which the substituents have the following meanings:

R² C₁-C₄-alkyl, C₁-C₄-alkoxy

X nitrogen or CR¹⁴, where

R¹⁴ is hydrogen or alkyl, or CR¹⁴ forms together with CR³ a 4- or 5-membered alkylene or alkenylene ring such as —CH₂—CH₂—CH₂—, —CH=CH—CH₂—, in which in each case a methylene group can be replaced by oxygen or sulfur, such as —CH₂—CH₂—O—, —CH=CH—O—, —CH₂—CH₂—S—, —CH=CH—S—, in particular hydrogen, —CH₂—CH₂—O—, —CH(CH₃)—CH(CH₃)—O—, —C(CH₃)=C(CH₃)—O—, —CH=C(CH₃)—O— or —C(CH₃)=C(CH₃)—S—;

R³ the C₁-C₄-alkyl, C₁-C₄-alkoxy, C₁-C₄-alkylthio groups mentioned for R¹, or is linked to R¹⁴ as mentioned above to give a 5- or 6-membered ring;

R⁴ and R⁵ phenyl (identical or different) which can be substituted by one or more, eg. one to three, of the following radicals: halogen, nitro, hydroxyl, C₁-C₄-alkyl, C₁-C₄-alkoxy, C₁-C₄-alkylthio or

R⁴ and R⁵ are phenyl groups which are connected together in the ortho positions by a direct linkage, a methylene, ethylene or ethenylene group, an oxygen or sulfur atom or an SO₂, NH or N-alkyl group; or

R⁴ and R⁵ are C₃-C₇-cycloalkyl;

R⁶ C₁-C₈-alkyl, C₃-C₆-alkenyl or C₃-C₈-cycloalkyl, it being possible for these radicals in each case to be

substituted one or more times by: halogen, hydroxyl, nitro, cyano, C₁-C₄-alkoxy, C₃-C₆-alkenyloxy, C₁-C₄-alkylthio;

phenyl or naphthyl, which can be substituted by one or more of the following radicals: halogen, nitro, cyano, hydroxyl, amino, C₁-C₄-alkyl, C₁-C₄-haloalkyl, C₁-C₄-alkoxy, C₁-C₄-haloalkoxy, phenoxy, C₁-C₄-alkylthio, C₁-C₄-alkylamino [sic] or C₁-C₄-dialkylamino;

a five- or six-membered heteroaromatic moiety which contains a nitrogen atom and/or a sulfur or oxygen atom and which can carry one to four halogen atoms and/or one or two of the following radicals: C₁-C₄-alkyl, C₁-C₄-haloalkyl, C₁-C₄-alkoxy, C₁-C₄-alkylthio, phenyl, phenoxy or phenylcarbonyl, it being possible for the phenyl radicals in turn to carry one to five halogen atoms and/or one to three of the following radicals: C₁-C₄-alkyl, C₁-C₄-haloalkyl, C₁-C₄-alkoxy and/or C₁-C₄-alkylthio; Y sulfur, oxygen or a single bond;

Z sulfur, oxygen, —SO—, —SO₂— or a single bond.

The compounds of the present invention provide a novel therapeutic potential for the treatment of hypertension, pulmonary hypertension, myocardial infarct, angina pectoris, acute kidney failure, renal insufficiency, cerebral vasospasms, cerebral ischemia, subarachnoid hemorrhages, migraine, asthma, atherosclerosis, endotoxic shock, endotoxin-induced organ failure, intravascular coagulation, restenosis after angioplasty, benign prostate hyperplasia, or hypertension or kidney failure caused by ischemia or intoxication.

The good effect of the compounds can be shown in the following tests:

Receptor binding studies

Cloned human ET_A receptor-expressing CHO cells and guinea pig cerebellar membranes with >60% ET_B compared with ET_A receptors were used for binding studies.

The ET_A receptor-expressing CHO cells were grown in F₁₂ medium containing 10% fetal calf serum, 1% glutamine, 100 U/ml penicillin and 0.2% streptomycin (Gibco BRL, Gaithersburg, Md., USA).

After 48 h, the cells were washed with PBS and incubated with 0.05% trypsin-containing PBS for 5 min. Neutralization was then carried out with F₁₂ medium, and the cells were collected by centrifugation at 300×g. To lyse the cells, the pellet was briefly washed with lysis buffer (5 mM Tris-HCl, pH 7.4 with 10% glycerol) and then incubated at a concentration of 107 cells/ml of lysis buffer at 4° C. for 30 min. The membranes were centrifuged at 20,000×g for 10 min, and the pellet was stored in liquid nitrogen.

Guinea pig cerebella were homogenized in a Potter-Elvehjem homogenizer and [lacuna] obtained by differential centrifugation at 1000×g for 10 min and repeated centrifugation of the supernatant at 20,000×g for 10 min.

Binding assays

For the ET_A and ET_B receptor binding assay, the membranes were suspended in incubation buffer (50 mM Tris-HCl, pH 7.4 with 5 mM MnCl₂, 40 μg/ml bacitracin and 0.2% BSA) at a concentration of 50 μg of protein per assay mixture and incubated with 25 pM [125I]-ET₁ (ET_A receptor assay) or 25 pM [125I]-RZ₃ (ET_B receptor assay) in the presence and absence of test substance at 25° C. The nonspecific binding was determined using 10⁻⁷ M ET₁. After 30 min, the free and bound radioligand were separated by filtration through GF/B glass fiber filters (Whatman, England) on a Skatron cell collector (Skatron, Lier, Norway) and the filters were washed with ice-cold Tris-HCl buffer,

pH 7.4 with 0.2% BSA. The radioactivity collected on the filters was quantified using a Packard 2200 CA liquid scintillation counter.

Functional in vitro assay system to look for endothelin receptor (subtype A) antagonists

This assay system is a functional, cell-based assay for endothelin receptors. When certain cells are stimulated with endothelin 1 (ET1) they show an increase in the intracellular calcium concentration. This increase can be measured in intact cells loaded with calcium-sensitive dyes.

1-Fibroblasts which had been isolated from rats and in which an endogenous endothelin receptor of the A subtype had been detected were loaded with the fluorescent dye Fura 2-an as follows: after trypsinization, the cells were resuspended in buffer A (120 mM NaCl, 5 mM KCl, 1.5 mM MgCl₂, 1 mM CaCl₂, 25 mM HEPES, 10 mM glucose, pH 7.4) to a density of 2×10⁶/ml and incubated with Fura 2-am (2 μM), Pluronic F-127 (0.04%) und DMSO (0.2%) at 37° C. in the dark for 30 min. The cells were then washed twice with buffer A and resuspended at 2×10⁶/ml.

The fluorescence signal from 2×10⁵ cells per ml with Ex/Em 380/510 was recorded continuously at 30° C. The test substances and, after an incubation time of 3 min, ET1 [lacuna] to the cells, the maximum change in the fluorescence was determined. The response of the cells to ET1 without previous addition of a test substance was used as control and was set equal to 100%.

Testing of ET antagonists in vivo

Male SD rats weighting 250–300 g were anesthetized with amobarbital, artificially ventilated, vagotomized and 30
pithed. The carotid artery and jugular vein were cathetized [sic].

In control animals, intravenous administration of 1 μg/kg ET1 led to a distinct rise in blood pressure which persisted for a lengthy period.

The test animals received an i.v. injection of the test compounds (1 ml/kg) 5 min before the administration of ET1. To determine the ET-antagonistic properties, the rise in blood pressure in the test animals was compared with that in the control animals.

Endothelin-1-induced sudden death in mice

The principle of the test is the inhibition of the sudden heart death caused in mice by endothelin, which is probably induced by constriction of the coronary vessels, by pretreatment with endothelin receptor antagonists. Intravenous injection of 10 nmol/kg endothelin in a volume of 5 ml/kg of body weight results in death of the animals within a few minutes.

The lethal endothelin-1 dose is checked in each case on a small group of animals. If the test substance is administered intravenously, the endothelin-1 injection which was lethal in the reference group usually takes place 5 min thereafter. With other modes of administration, the times before administration are extended, where appropriate up to several hours.

The survival rate is recorded, and effective doses which protect 50% of the animals (ED 50) from endothelin-induced heart death for 24 h or longer are determined.

Functional test on vessels for endothelin receptor antagonists

Segments of rabbit aorta are, after an initial tension of 2 g and a relaxation time of 1 h in Krebs-Henseleit solution at 37° C. and pH 7.3–7.4, first induced to contract with K⁺. After washing out, an endothelin dose-effect plot up to the maximum is constructed.

Potential endothelin antagonists are administered to other preparations of the same vessel 15 min before starting the

endothelin dose-effect plot. The effects of the endothelin are calibrated as a % of the K⁺-induced contraction. Effective endothelin antagonists result in a shift to the right in the endothelin dose-effect plot.

5 The compounds according to the invention can be administered orally or parenterally (subcutaneously, intravenously, intramuscularly, intraperitoneally) in a conventional way. Administration can also take place with vapors or sprays through the nasopharyngeal space.

10 The dosage depends on the age, condition and weight of the patient and on the mode of administration. The daily dose of active substance is, as a rule, about 0.5–50 mg/kg of body weight on oral administration and about 0.1–10 mg/kg of body weight on parenteral administration.

15 The novel compounds can be used in conventional solid or liquid pharmaceutical forms, eg. as uncoated or (film-) coated tablets, capsules, powders, granules, suppositories, solutions, ointments, creams or sprays. These are produced in a conventional way. The active substances can for this purpose be processed with conventional pharmaceutical aids such as tablet binders, fillers, preservatives, tablet disintegrants, flow regulators, plasticizers, wetting agents, dispersants, emulsifiers, solvents, release-slowing agents, antioxidants and/or propellant gases (cf. H. Sucker et al.: 20
Pharmazeutische Technologie, Thieme-Verlag, Stuttgart, 1991). The administration forms obtained in this way normally contain from 0.1 to 90% by weight of the active substance.

Synthesis examples

Example 1

Methyl 2-hydroxy-3-methoxy-3,3-diphenylpropionate

5 g (19.6 mmol) of methyl 3,3-diphenyl-2,3-epoxypropionate were dissolved in 50 ml of absolute methanol and, at 0° C., 0.1 ml of boron trifluoride etherate was added. The mixture was stirred at 0° C. for 2 h and at room temperature for a further 12 h. The solvent was distilled out, the residue was taken up in ethyl acetate, washed with 40
sodium bicarbonate solution and water and dried over magnesium sulfate. After removal of the solvent by distillation there remained 5.5 g (88%) of a pale yellow oil.

Example 2

Methyl 2-hydroxy-3-phenoxy-3,3-diphenylpropionate

5 g (19.6 mmol) of methyl 3,3-diphenyl-2,3-epoxypropionate and 5.6 g (60 mmol) of phenol were heated together at 100° C. for 6 h. Removal of the excess phenol by distillation under high vacuum and purification of the residue by chromatography on silica gel with hexane/ethyl acetate mixtures resulted in 4.9 g (77%) of a pale yellow oil.

Example 3

Methyl 2-(4,6-dimethoxy-pyrimidin-2-yloxy)-3-methoxy-3,3-diphenylpropionate

2.86 g (10 mmol) of methyl 2-hydroxy-3-methoxy-3,3-diphenylpropionate were dissolved in 40 ml of dimethylformamide, and 0.3 g (12 mmol) of sodium hydride was added. The mixture was stirred for 1 h and then 2.2 g (10 mmol) of 4,6-dimethoxy-2-methylsulfonylpyrimidine were added. After stirring at room temperature for 24 h, cautious hydrolysis was carried out with 10 ml of water, the pH was adjusted to 5 with acetic acid, and the solvent was removed by distillation under high vacuum. The residue was taken up in 100 ml of ethyl acetate, washed with water and dried over magnesium sulfate, and the solvent was distilled out. The residue was mixed with 10 ml of ether, and the 65

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resulting precipitate was filtered off with suction. After drying, 3.48 g (82%) of a white powder remained.

Melting point 81° C.

Example 4

2-(4,6-Dimethoxy-pyrimidin-2-yloxy)-3-methoxy-3,3-diphenylpropionic acid

2.12 g (5 mmol) of methyl 2-(4,6-dimethoxy-pyrimidin-2-yl-oxy)-3-methoxy-3,3-diphenylpropionate were dissolved in 50 ml of dioxane, 10 ml of 1N KOH solution were added, and the mixture was stirred at 100° C. for 3 h. The solution was diluted with 300 ml of water and extracted with ethyl acetate to remove unreacted ester. The aqueous phase was then adjusted to pH 1-2 with dilute hydrochloric acid and extracted with ethyl acetate. After drying over magnesium sulfate and removal of the solvent by distillation, the residue was mixed with an ether/hexane mixture, and the precipitate which formed was filtered off with suction. After drying, 1.85 g (90%) of a white powder remained.

Melting point 167° C.

Example 5

2-(4,6-Dimethoxy-2-pyrimidinyl-oxy)-3-methoxy-3,3-diphenyl sodium [sic] propionate

1.68 g (4 mmol) of 2-(4,6-dimethoxy-2-pyrimidinyl-oxy)-3-methoxy-3,3-diphenylpropionic acid are dissolved in 4 ml of 1N NaOH+100 ml of water. The solution is freeze-dried, and the sodium salt of the carboxylic acid used is obtained quantitatively.

10 g (34.9 mmol) of methyl 2-hydroxy-3-methoxy-3,3-diphenylpropionate were dissolved in 50 ml each of methanol and glacial acetic acid, 1 ml of RuO(OH)₂ in dioxane was added, and hydrogenation was carried out with H₂ in an autoclave at 100° C. under 100 bar for 30 h. The catalyst was filtered off, the mixture was concentrated, mixed with ether and washed with NaCl solution, and the organic phase was dried and concentrated. 10.1 g of methyl 3,3-dicyclohexyl-2-hydroxy-3-methoxypropionate were obtained as an oil.

Example 7

Methyl 2-[(4,6-dimethoxy-pyrimidin-2-yl)thio]-3-methoxy-3,3-diphenylpropionate [sic]

7.16 g (25 mmol) of methyl 2-hydroxy-3-methoxy-3,3-diphenylpropionate were dissolved in 50 ml of dichloromethane, 3 g (30 mmol) of triethylamine were added, and 3.2 g (28 mmol) of methanesulfonyl chloride were added dropwise while stirring. The mixture was stirred at room temperature for 2 h, washed with water, dried over magnesium sulfate and concentrated under reduced pressure. The residue was taken up in DMF and added dropwise at 0° C. to a suspension of 12.9 g (75 mmol) of 4,6-dimethoxypyrimidine-2-thiol and 8.4 g (100 mmol) of sodium bicarbonate in 100 ml of DMF. After stirring at room temperature for 2 h and at 60° C. for a further 2 h, the mixture was poured into 1 liter of ice-water, and the resulting precipitate was filtered off with suction. After drying, 3.19 g (29%) of a white powder remained.

Example 8

Methyl 2-hydroxy-3,3-diphenylbutyrate

1.5 g (5.9 mmol) of methyl 3,3-diphenyl-2,3-epoxypropionate dissolved in 10 ml of absolute ether were added dropwise to a cup-rate solution which had been prepared from 635 mg (7 mmol) of copper(I) cyanide dissolved in 10 ml of absolute ether and 8.14 ml (13 mmol) of a 1.6 normal methyl lithium solution and had been cooled to -78° C. The solution was stirred at -78° C. for 1 h and then allowed to warm to room temperature. It was subse-

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quently diluted with 100 ml of ether and 100 ml of water, and the ether phase was washed with dilute citric acid and with sodium bicarbonate solution and dried over magnesium sulfate. The crude product was purified by chromatography on silica gel with cyclohexane/ethyl acetate mixtures to result in 250 mg (16%) of a pale yellow oil.

Example 9

2-Hydroxy-3-methoxy-3,3-diphenylpropionic acid

91.11 g (0.5 mol) of benzophenone and 45.92 g (0.85 mol) of sodium methoxide were suspended in 150 ml of methyl tert-butyl ether (MTB) at room temperature. After cooling to -100° C., 92.24 g (0.85 mol) of methyl chloroacetate were added in such a way that the internal temperature rose to 40° C. while continuing to cool in a bath at -10° C. The mixture was then stirred without cooling at the autogenous temperature for one hour. After addition of 250 ml of water and brief stirring, the aqueous phase was separated off. The MTB phase was washed with 250 ml of dilute sodium chloride solution. After the solvent had been changed to methanol (250 ml), a solution of 1 g of p-toluenesulfonic acid in 10 ml of methanol was added at room temperature. The mixture was stirred at autogenous temperature for one hour and then heated to reflux. While distilling out the methanol, 400 g of a 10% strength sodium hydroxide solution was added dropwise, and finally 60 ml of water were added. The methanol was distilled out until the bottom temperature reached 97° C. After cooling to 55° C., 190 ml of MTB were added and the mixture was acidified to pH 2 with about 77 ml of concentrated HCl. After cooling to room temperature, the aqueous phase was separated off and the organic phase was concentrated by distilling out 60 ml of MtB [sic]. The product was crystallized by adding 500 ml of heptane and slowly cooling to room temperature. The coarsely crystalline solid was filtered off with suction, washed with heptane and dried to constant weight in a vacuum oven at 40° C.

Yield: 108.9 g (80%), HPLC >99.5% area.

Example 10

S-2-Hydroxy-3-methoxy-3,3-diphenylpropionic acid (racemate resolution with L-proline methyl ester)

148.8 g of a 30% strength methanolic sodium methanolate solution (0.826 mol) were added dropwise to 240 g of a 57% strength methanolic L-proline methyl ester hydrochloride solution (0.826 mol) at room temperature, and 2.4 l of MTB and 225 g (0.826 mol) of 2-hydroxy-3-methoxy-3,3-diphenylpropionic acid were added. After 2680 ml of MTB/methanol mixture had been distilled out with simultaneous dropwise addition of 2.4 l of MTB, the mixture was slowly cooled to room temperature, the crystals (R-2-hydroxy-3-methoxy-3,3-diphenylpropionic acid x L-proline methyl ester) were filtered off with suction, and the solid was washed with 150 ml of MTB. The filtrate was concentrated by distilling out 1.5 l of MTB, and 1.0 l of water was added. The pH was adjusted to 1.2 with concentrated hydrochloric acid at room temperature and, after stirring and phase separation, the aqueous phase was separated off and extracted with 0.4 l of MTB. The combined organic phases were extracted with 0.4 l of water. The residue after the MTB had been stripped off was dissolved in 650 ml of toluene under reflux, and the product was crystallized by seeding and slow cooling. Filtration with suction, washing with toluene and drying in a vacuum oven resulted in 78.7 g of S-2-hydroxy-3-methoxy-3,3-diphenylpropionic acid (yield 35% based on the racemate).

Chiral HPLC: 100% pure; HPLC: 99.8%

Example 11

S-2-Hydroxy-3-methoxy-3,3-diphenylpropionic acid (racemate resolution with (S)-1-(4-nitrophenyl)ethylamine)

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30.5 g (0.184 mol) of (S)-1-(4-nitrophenyl)ethylamine were added to 100 g (0.368 mol) of 2-hydroxy-3-methoxy-3,3-diphenylpropionic acid in 750 ml of acetone and 750 ml of MTB under reflux, the mixture was seeded, boiled under reflux for one hour and slowly cooled to room temperature for crystallization. The crystals (S-2-hydroxy-3-methoxy-3,3-diphenylpropionic acid x (S)-1-(4-nitrophenyl)ethylamine) were filtered off with suction and washed with MTB. The residue was suspended in 500 ml of water and 350 ml of MTB and then the pH was adjusted to 1.2 with concentrated hydrochloric acid at room temperature, and, after stirring and phase separation, the aqueous phase was separated off and extracted with 150 ml of MTB. The combined organic phases were extracted with 100 ml of water. 370 ml of MTB were distilled out and then 390 ml of n-heptane were added under reflux, and the mixture was slowly cooled to room temperature while the product crystallized. Filtration with suction, washing with n-heptane and drying in a vacuum oven resulted in 35.0 g of S-2-hydroxy-3-methoxy-3,3-diphenylpropionic acid (yield 35% based on the racemate).

Chiral HPLC: 100% pure; HPLC: 99.8%

Example 12

Benzyl 3-methoxy-2-(4-methoxy-6,7-dihydro-5H-cyclopentapyrimidin-2-yloxy)-3,3-diphenylpropionate

24.48 g (90 mmol) of 3-methoxy-3,3-diphenyl-2-hydroxypropionic acid were dissolved in 150 ml of DMF, and 13.7 g (99 mmol) of potassium carbonate were added. The suspension was stirred at room temperature for 30 min. Then 10.7 ml (90 mmol) of benzyl bromide were added dropwise over the course of 5 min, and the mixture was stirred for 1 h, during which the temperature rose to 32° C.

To this mixture were successively added 24.84 g (180 mmol) of K₂CO₃ and 20.52 g (90 mmol) of 2-methanesulfonyl-4-methoxy-6,7-dihydro-5H-cyclopentapyridine [sic], and the mixture was stirred at 80° C. for 3 h.

For workup, the contents of the flask were diluted with about 600 ml of H₂O and cautiously acidified with concentrated HCl, and 250 ml of ethyl acetate were added. 31.4 g of pure product precipitated and were filtered off.

The ethyl acetate phase was separated from the mother liquor, the aqueous phase was extracted again with ethyl acetate, and the combined organic phases were concentrated. The oily residue (19 g) was purified by chromatography (cyclohexane/ethyl acetate=9/1) to result in a further 10.5 g of pure product.

Total yield: 41.9 g (82.2 mmol)=91%; Melting point 143–147° C.; MS: MH⁺=511

Example 13

3-Methoxy-2-(4-methoxy-(6,7-dihydro-5H-cyclopentapyrimidin-2-yl-oxy)-3,3-diphenylpropionic [sic] acid

40 g (78.4 mmol) of benzyl 3-methoxy-2-(4-methoxy-6,7-dihydro-5H-cyclopentapyrimidin-2-yloxy)-3,3-diphenylpropionate were dissolved in 400 ml of ethyl acetate/methanol (4:1), about 500 mg of palladium on active carbon (10%) were added, and the mixture was exposed to a hydrogen atmosphere until no further gas was taken up. The catalyst was filtered off, the solution was evaporated, and the residue was crystallized from ether.

Example 14

Ethyl 2S-3,3-diphenyloxirane-2-carboxylate

2.57 g (10.2 mmol) of ethyl 3,3-diphenylacrylate and 464 mg of 4-phenylpyridine N-oxide were dissolved in 24 ml of

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methylene chloride, and 432 mg (6.5 mol %) of (5,5)-(+)-N,N'-bis(3,5-ditert-butylsalicylidene)-1,2-cyclohexanediaminomanganese(III) chloride were added. While cooling in ice, 6.4 ml of a 12% strength sodium hypochloride [sic] solution were added, and the mixture was stirred while cooling in ice for 30 min and at room temperature overnight. The solution was diluted to 200 ml with water, extracted with ether, dried and evaporated. 2.85 g of a colorless oil were obtained. Purification by NPLC [sic] (cyclohexane:ethyl acetate=9:1) resulted in 1.12 g of oil with an enantiomer ratio of about 8:1 in favor of the S configuration.

¹H-NMR [CDCl₃], δ=1.0 (t, 3H); 3.9 (m, 3H); 7.3 (m, 10H)

Example 15

2-Methylsulfonyl-6,7-dihydro-5H-cyclopentapyrimidin-4-ol [sic]

46.9 g (330 mmol) of methyl cyclopentanone-2-carboxylate and 53.5 g (192 mmol) of 5-methylisothiourea [sic] sulfate were successively added to 29.6 g (528 mmol) of KOH in 396 ml of methanol, and the mixture was stirred at room temperature overnight, acidified with 1N hydrochloric acid and diluted with water. The crystals which separated out were filtered off with suction and dried. 20 g of crystals were obtained.

Example 16

sulfanyl 4-Chloro-2-methyl-6,7-dihydro-5H-cyclopentapyrimidine [sic]

255 ml of phosphorus oxychloride were added to 20 g (110 mmol) [lacuna], and the mixture was stirred at 80° C. for 3 hours. Phosphorus oxychloride was evaporated off, ice was added to the residue, and the crystals which separated out were filtered off with suction. 18.5 g of a brownish solid were obtained.

Example 17

4-Methoxy-2-methylsulfonyl-6,7-dihydro-5H-cyclopentapyrimidine [sic]

18.05 g (90 mmol) of 4-chloro-2-methylsulfonyl-6,7-dihydro-5H-cyclopentapyrimidine [sic] were dissolved in 200 ml of methanol. At 45° C., 16.7 g of sodium methoxide (as 30% strength solutions [sic] in methanol) were added dropwise, and the mixture was stirred for 2 hours. The solution was evaporated, taken up in ethyl acetate and acidified with dilute hydrochloric acid, and the ethyl acetate extract was evaporated. 15.5 g of an oil remained.

¹H-NMR [DMSO], δ=2.1 (quintet, 2H); 2.5 (s, 3H); 2.8 (dt, 4H); 3.9 (s, 3H) ppm

Example 18

2-Methylsulfonyl-4-methoxy-6,7-dihydro-5H-cyclopentapyrimidine [sic]

15 g (76.2 mmol) of 4-methoxy-2-methylsulfonyl-6,7-dihydro-5H-cyclopentapyrimidine [sic] were dissolved in 160 ml of glacial acetic acid/methylene chloride (1:1), and 1.3 g of sodium tungstate were added. At 35° C., 17.5 ml (170 ml [sic]) of a 30% strength H₂O₂ solution were added dropwise. The mixture was then diluted with 500 ml of water and 100 ml of methylene chloride, and the organic phase was separated off, dried and evaporated. 14 g of oil remained and were crystallized from ether.

¹H-NMR [CDCl₃], δ=2.2 (quintet, 2H); 3.0 (dt., 4H); 3.3 (s, 3H); 4.1 (s, 3H) ppm

Example 19

1-Benzenesulfonyl-3-(4,6-dimethoxy-2-pyrimidinyl-oxy)-4-methoxy-4,4-diphenyl-2-butanone

0.37 g (2.4 mmol) of phenyl methane [sic] sulfone were dissolved in 10 ml of dry THF and then, at -70°C ., 2 eq. of butyllithium (2.94 ml; 1.6 molar solution in hexane) were added dropwise. After 1 h at -70°C ., 1 g (2.4 mmol) of methyl 2-(4,6-dimethoxy-2-pyrimidinyl-3-methoxy-3,3-diphenylpropynoate [sic] dissolved in 5 ml of THF was added dropwise. The reaction mixture was then stirred at -70°C . for 1 h and at -10°C . for 1 h and then warmed to room temperature. For workup, about 10 ml of saturated NH_4Cl solution were added dropwise, thorough extraction with ethyl acetate was carried out, and the combined organic phases [lacuna] with-saturated N-Cl [sic] solution and dried over Na_2SO_4 . The residue obtained after drying and concentration was purified by chromatography on silica gel (n-heptane/ethyl acetate 15% \rightarrow 30%) and subsequently MPLC on RP silica gel (acetonitrile/ H_2O +TFA); 0.3 g of a white amorphous powder was obtained as product.

Example 20

3,3-Diphenyloxirane-2-carbonitrile [sic]

3.1 g (54.9 mmol) of sodium methoxide were suspended in 20 ml of dry THF and then, at -10°C ., a mixture of 5 g (27.4 mmol) of benzophenone and 4.2 g (54.9 mmol) of chloroacetonitrile was added dropwise.

The reaction mixture was stirred at -10°C . for about 2 h, then poured into water and extracted several times with ethyl acetate. The combined organic phases were dried over Na_2SO_4 and concentrated, and the residue was purified by chromatography on silica gel (n-heptane/ethyl acetate).

Yield: 1.2 g (20%)

$^1\text{H-NMR}$ [CDCl_3], $\delta=3.9$ (s, 1H); 7.4–7.5 (m, 10 H) ppm

Example 21

2-Hydroxy-3-methoxy-3,3-diphenylpropionitrile

6.5 [lacuna] (29.4 mmol) of 3,3-diphenyloxirane-2-carbonitrile were dissolved in 60 ml of methanol and, at 0°C ., about 2 ml of boron trifluoride etherate solution were added. The mixture was stirred further at 0°C . for 1 h and then at room temperature overnight. For workup it was diluted with diethyl ether and washed with saturated NaCl solution, and the organic phase was dried over Na_2SO_4 and concentrated. The residue comprised 7.3 g of a white amorphous powder which was used directly in the subsequent reactions.

$^1\text{H-NMR}$ [CDCl_3], $\delta=2.95$ (broad s, OH), 3.15 (s, 3H), 5.3 (s, 1H), 7.3–7.5 (m, 10) ppm

Example 22

2-(4,6-Dimethoxy-2-pyrimidinyl-3-methoxy-3,3-diphenylpropionitrile

7.3 g (28.8 mmol) of 2-hydroxy-3-methoxy-3,3-diphenylpropionitrile were dissolved in 90 ml of DMF, and 4 g (28.8 mmol) of K_2CO_3 and 6.3 g (28 mmol) of 2-methanesulfonyl-4,6-dimethoxypyrimidine were added. The mixture was stirred at room temperature for about 12 h, then poured into water and extracted with ethyl acetate. The combined organic phases were washed again with H_2O , dried and concentrated. The residue obtained in this way was then purified by chromatography on silica gel (n-heptane/ethyl acetate).

Yield: 6.9 g of white amorphous powder

FAB-MS: 392 ($\text{M}+\text{H}^+$) $^1\text{H-NMR}$ [CDCl_3], $\delta=3.3$ (s, 3H); 4.95 (s, 6H), 5.85 (s, 1H); 6.3 (s, 1H); 7.3–7.5 (m, 10H) ppm

Example 23

5-[2-(4,6-Dimethoxy-2-pyrimidinyl-3-methoxy-3,3-diphenylpropyl)-1H-tetrazole [sic]

0.5 g (1.3 mmol) of nitrile was dissolved in 10 ml of toluene, and 85 mg (1.3 mmol) of NaN_3 and 460 mg (1.4 mmol) of Bu_3SnCl were successively added, and then the mixture was refluxed for about 40 h. Cooling was followed by dilution with ethyl acetate and washing with 10% aqueous KF solution and with NaCl solution. After drying over MgSO_4 and concentration there remained 1.0 g of a yellow oil, which was purified by chromatography on silica gel (n-heptane/ethyl acetate).

Concentration of the fractions resulted in 60 mg of the 1H-tetrazole and 110 mg of the 1-methyltetrazole, each as amorphous white solids.

5-[2-(4,6-Dimethoxy-2-pyrimidinyl-3-methoxy-3,3-diphenylpropyl)-1H-tetrazole [sic]

Electrospray-MS: 435 ($\text{M}+\text{H}^+$) $^1\text{H-NMR}$ (CDCl_3): δ (ppm) 3.28 (s, 3H), 3.85 (s, 6H), 5.75 (s, 1H), 7.25–7.40 (m, 10H), 7.50 (s, 1H).

5-[2-(4,6-Dimethoxy-2-pyrimidinyl-3-methoxy-3,3-diphenylpropyl)-1-methyltetrazole [sic]

Electrospray-MS; 471 ($\text{M}+\text{H}^+$) $^1\text{H-NMR}$ (CDCl_3): δ (ppm) 3.0 (s, 3H), 3.35 (s, 3H) [sic], 3.80 (s, 6H), 5.75 (s, 1H), 7.30–7.40 (m, 11H).

Example 24

2-(4,6-Dimethoxy-2-pyrimidinyl-3-methylsulfinyl-3,3-diphenylpropionic acid

1.2 g (2.9 mmol) of 2-(4,6-dimethoxy-2-pyrimidinyl-3-methylsulfonyl-3,3-diphenylpropionic [sic] acid were introduced into 15 ml of glacial acetic acid at 0°C . and 294 μl of 30% strength H_2O_2 were added dropwise. The mixture was stirred at room temperature overnight, poured into water, extracted with CH_2Cl_2 and washed with sodium thiosulfate solution and brine. After drying, 1 g of substance was isolated as a white foam.

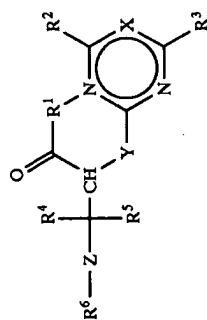
Example 25

2-(4,6-Dimethoxy-2-pyrimidinyl-3-methylsulfonyl-3,3-diphenylpropionic acid

0.6 g (1.45 mmol) of 2-(4,6-dimethoxy-2-pyrimidinyl-3-methyl-sulfonyl-3,3-diphenylpropionic [sic] acid was introduced into 15 ml of glacial acetic acid at room temperature, and 294 μl of 30% strength H_2O_2 were added dropwise. The mixture was stirred at room temperature overnight, heated at 50°C . for a further 3 h, poured into water and washed with sodium thiosulfate solution and brine. After drying, 400 mg were isolated as a white solid.

The compounds listed in Table 1 [sic] can be prepared in a similar way.

TABLE I



No.	R ¹	R ⁴ , R ⁵	R ⁶	R ²	R ³	X	Y	Z	m.p.[° C.]
I-195	OMe	Phenyl	Methyl	OMe	OMe	CH	O	O	81
I-196	OH	Phenyl	Methyl	OMe	OMe	CH	O	O	167
I-197	OH	Phenyl	CH ₂ -CH ₂ -S-CH ₃	OMe	OMe	CH	O	O	81(decomp.)
I-198	OH	Phenyl	Ethyl	OMe	OMe	CH	O	O	182
I-199	OH	Phenyl	iso-Propyl	OMe	OMe	CH	O	S	168
I-200	OH	Phenyl	Methyl	OMe	OMe	CH	O	O	
I-201	OH	Phenyl	CH ₂ -CH ₂ -SO ₂ -CH(CH ₃) ₂	OMe	OMe	CH	S	O	
I-202	OH	Phenyl	CH ₂ -CH ₂ -SO ₂ -CH(CH ₃) ₂	OMe	OMe	C-CH(CH ₃) ₂	O	O	
I-203	OH	Phenyl	CH ₂ -CH ₂ -SO ₂ -CH(CH ₃) ₂	OMe	OMe	C-CH(CH ₃) ₃	O	O	
I-204	OH	Phenyl	CH ₂ -CH ₂ -SO ₂ -CH(CH ₃) ₂	OMe	OMe	CH	O	O	
I-205	OH	Phenyl	CH ₂ -CH ₂ -SO ₂ -CH(CH ₃) ₂	OMe	NH-OCH ₃	CH	O	O	
I-206	OH	Phenyl	n-Propyl	OMe	OMe	CH	O	O	174
I-207	OMe	Phenyl	n-Propyl	OMe	OMe	CH	O	O	
I-208	OH	Phenyl	n-Propyl	OMe	OMe	CH	O	O	
I-209	OH	Phenyl	n-Propyl	OMe	OMe	CH	O	O	
I-210	OH	Phenyl	iso-Butyl	OMe	OMe	CH	O	O	
I-211	OH	Phenyl	iso-Butyl	OMe	OMe	CH	O	O	
I-212	OH	Phenyl	tert.-Butyl	OMe	OMe	O-CH ₂ -CH ₂ -C	O	O	
I-213	OH	Phenyl	Cyclopropyl	OMe	OMe	CH	O	O	
I-214	OH	Phenyl	Cyclopentyl	OMe	OMe	CH	O	O	
I-215	OH	Phenyl	Cyclohexyl	OMe	OMe	CH	O	O	
I-216	OH	Phenyl	(CH ₃) ₂ C-CH ₂ -CH ₂	OMe	OMe	CH	O	O	173
I-217	OH	Phenyl	(CH ₃) ₂ CH-CH ₂ -CH ₂ -CH ₂	OMe	OMe	CH	O	O	
I-218	OH	Phenyl	HO-CH ₂ -CH ₂ -CH ₂	OMe	OMe	CH	O	O	
I-219	OH	Phenyl	HO ₂ C-(CH ₂) ₂ -	OMe	OMe	CH	O	O	115
I-220	OH	Phenyl	Cyclopropylmethylene[sic]	OMe	OMe	CH	O	O	
I-221	OH	Phenyl	H	OMe	OMe	CH	O	O	136
I-222	OH	Phenyl	Methyl	OMe	OMe	CH	O	O	
I-223	OH	Phenyl	Phenyl	OMe	OMe	CH	O	O	
I-224	OH	Phenyl	Phenyl	OMe	OMe	O-CH(CH ₃)-CH ₂ -C	O	O	
I-225	OH	Phenyl	Phenyl	OMe	OMe	CH	O	O	
I-226	OH	Phenyl	4-Isopropyl-Phenyl	OMe	OMe	CH	O	O	
I-227	OH	Phenyl	4-Me-S-Phenyl	OMe	OMe	CH	O	O	
I-228	OH	Phenyl	4-Me-O-Phenyl	OMe	OMe	CH	O	O	
I-229	OH	Phenyl	3-Et-Phenyl	OMe	OMe	CH	O	O	
I-230	OH	Phenyl	2-Me-Phenyl	OMe	OMe	CH	O	O	
I-231	OH	Phenyl	2-Cl-Phenyl	OMe	OMe	CH	O	O	
I-232	OH	Phenyl	3-Br-Phenyl	OMe	OMe	CH	O	O	
I-233	OH	Phenyl	4-F-Phenyl	OMe	OMe	CH	O	O	

TABLE I-continued

No.	R ¹	R ⁴ , R ⁵	R ⁶	R ²	R ³	X	Y	Z	m.p.[° C.]
I-234	OH	Phenyl	4-F-Phenyl	OMe	OMe	CH	S	O	
I-235	OH	Phenyl	4-CH ₃ -Phenyl	OMe	OMe	CH	O	O	
I-236	OH	Phenyl	3-NO ₂ -Phenyl	OMe	OMe	CH	O	O	
I-237	OH	Phenyl	2-HO-Phenyl	OMe	OMe	CH	O	O	
I-238	OH	Phenyl	3,4-Dimethoxyphenyl	OMe	OMe	CH	O	O	
I-239	OH	Phenyl	3,4-Dioxomethylenephene-phenyl	OMe	OMe	CH	O	O	
I-240	OH	Phenyl	[sic]	OMe	OMe	CH	O	O	
I-241	OH	Phenyl	3,4,5-Trimethoxyphenyl	OMe	OMe	CH	O	O	
I-242	OH	Phenyl	2-Cl-Benzyl	OMe	OMe	CH	O	O	
I-243	OH	Phenyl	3-Br-Benzyl	OMe	OMe	CH	O	O	
I-244	OH	Phenyl	4-F-Benzyl	OMe	OMe	CH	O	O	
I-245	OH	Phenyl	2-Me-Benzyl	OMe	OMe	CH	O	O	
I-246	OH	Phenyl	2-Me-Benzyl	OMe	OMe	CH	O	O	
I-247	OH	Phenyl	3-Et-Benzyl	OMe	OMe	CH	O	O	
I-248	OH	Phenyl	4-iso-Propyl-Benzyl	OMe	OMe	CH	O	O	
I-249	OH	Phenyl	4-NO ₂ -Propyl-Benzyl	OMe	OMe	CH	O	O	
I-250	OH	Phenyl	2-Me-5-Propyl-Benzyl	OMe	OMe	CH	O	O	
I-251	OH	Phenyl	2-Me-5-Propyl-Benzyl	OMe	OMe	CH	O	O	
I-252	OH	Phenyl	4-Me-2-Propyl-Benzyl	OMe	OMe	CH	O	O	
I-253	OH	Phenyl	3,4-Dioxomethylenephene-phenyl	OMe	OMe	CH	O	O	
I-254	OH	4-F-Phenyl	Methyl	OMe	OMe	CH	O	O	163-165 (decomp.)
I-255	OMe	4-F-Phenyl	Methyl	OMe	OMe	CH	O	O	
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I-264	OH	4-NO ₂ -Phenyl	Methyl	OMe	OMe	CH	O	O	
I-265	OH	3-Cl-Phenyl	Ethyl	OMe	OMe	CH	O	O	
I-266	OH	2-F-Phenyl	Methyl	OMe	OMe	CH	O	O	193-194 (decomp.)
I-267	OH	2-F-Phenyl	Methyl	OMe	OMe	CH	S	O	
I-268	OH	2-Me-O-Phenyl	Methyl	OMe	OMe	CH	O	O	
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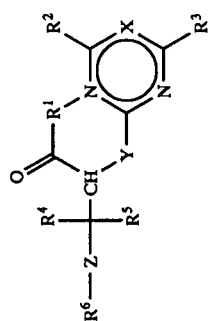
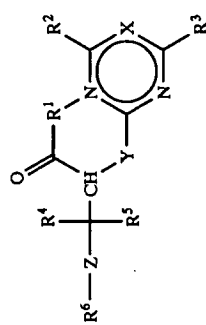
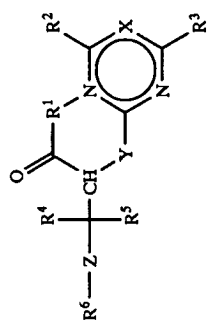


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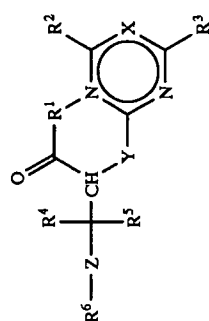
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I-271	OH	3,4-Dioxomethylphenyl [sic]	Methyl	OMe	OMe	CH	O	O	
I-272	OH	p-CF ₃ -Phenyl	Methyl	OMe	OMe	CH	O	O	
I-273	OH	Phenyl	Methyl	OMe	OMe	CH	O	O	
I-274	OMe	Phenyl	Methyl	OMe	OMe	CH	S	O	
I-275	OH	Phenyl	Ethyl	OMe	NH-OMe	CH	O	O	
I-276	OH	p-Me-O-Phenyl	n-Propyl	OMe	OCF ₃	CH	O	O	
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I-278	OH	Phenyl	Methyl	OMe	CF ₃	N	O	O	
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I-280	OH	3,4-Dimethoxyphenyl	Methyl	OMe	Me	O-CH ₂ -CH ₂ -C	O	O	126(decomp.)
I-281	OH	Phenyl	Methyl	OMe	OMe	O-CH ₂ -CH ₂ -C	O	O	
I-282	OH	Phenyl	Methyl	OMe	OMe	O-CH(CH ₃)-CH ₂ -C	O	O	118
I-283	OH	Phenyl	Methyl	OMe	OMe	N(CH ₃)-CH=CH-C	O	O	
I-284	OH	Phenyl	Methyl	OMe	OMe	S-C(CH ₃)-C(CH ₃)-C	O	O	
I-285	OH	Phenyl	Methyl	OMe	OMe	O-C(CH ₃)=CH-C	O	O	
I-286	OH	Phenyl	Methyl	Me	Me	O-C(CH ₃)=CH-C	O	O	
I-287	OH	Phenyl	Methyl	Me	Me	O-CH=CH-C	O	O	
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I-289	OH	4-F-Phenyl	H	OMe	OMe	CH	O	O	
I-290	OH	Phenyl	Methyl	OMe	OMe	CH ₂ -CH ₂ -CH ₂ -C	O	O	149-151 (decomp.)
I-291	OH	Phenyl	Methyl	Methyl	Methyl	CH ₂ -CH ₂ -CH ₂ -C	O	O	157(decomp.)
I-292	OH	Phenyl	Methyl	Ethyl	Ethyl	CH ₂ -CH ₂ -CH ₂ -C	O	O	
I-293	OH	Phenyl	Methyl	OMe	OMe	CH ₂ -CH ₂ -CH ₂ -CH ₂ -C	O	O	
I-294	OH	Phenyl	Methyl	Me	Me	CH	O	O	
I-295	OH	Phenyl	Methyl	Et	Et	CH	O	O	
I-296	OH	Phenyl	Methyl	Me	Me	C-CH ₃	O	O	
I-297	OH	Phenyl	Methyl	Me	Me	CH	O	O	
I-298	OH	Cyclohexyl	Methyl	OMe	OMe	CH	O	O	
I-299	OH	Cyclohexyl	Methyl	OMe	OMe	CH ₂ -CH ₂ -CH ₂ -C	O	O	
I-300	OH	Phenyl	Methyl	OCH ₃	OCH ₃	CH	S	S	
I-301	OH	Phenyl	Methyl	OCH ₃	OCH ₃	CH	O	S	134
I-302	OCH ₃	Phenyl	Methyl	OCH ₃	OCH ₃	CH	S	S	
I-303	OH	Phenyl	Methyl	OCH ₃	OCH ₃	CH	O	O	
I-304	OCH ₃	2-Fluorophenyl	Methyl	OCH ₃	OCH ₃	CH	O	O	
I-305	OC ₂ H ₅	3-Chlorophenyl	Methyl	OCH ₃	OCH ₃	N	O	O	
I-306	ON(CH ₃) ₂	4-Bromophenyl	Methyl	CF ₃	CF ₃	CH	S	O	
I-307	O-CH ₂ -C=CH	Phenyl	Ethyl	OCH ₃	CF ₃	CH	O	O	

TABLE I-continued



No.	R ¹	R ⁴ , R ⁵	R ⁶	R ²	R ³	X	Y	Z	m.p.[° C.]
I-308	OH	Phenyl	Propyl	OCH ₃	OCF ₃	CH	O	S	
I-309	OCH ₃	Phenyl	i-Propyl	OCH ₃	CH ₃	CH	O	O	
I-310	OC ₂ H ₅	Phenyl	s-Butyl	OCH ₃	Cl	CH	S	O	
I-311	ON(CH ₃) ₂	2-Methylphenyl	Methyl	OCH ₃	OCH ₃	CH	O	O	
I-312	ON(CH ₃) ₂	3-Methoxyphenyl	Methyl	OCH ₃	OCH ₃	CH	O	O	
I-313	ON=C(CH ₃) ₂	4-Nitrophenyl	Methyl	OCH ₃	OCH ₃	CH	O	O	
I-314	ON(CH ₃) ₂	Phenyl	1-Phenylpropyn-3-yl	OCH ₃	OCF ₃	N	O	S	
I-315	ON=C(CH ₃) ₂	2-Hydroxyphenyl	Methyl	OCH ₃	CH ₃	N	O	O	
I-316	ONSO ₂ C ₆ H ₅	3-Trifluoromethylphenyl	Methyl	OCH ₃	Cl	N	O	O	
I-317	NHPhenyl	4-Dimethylaminophenyl	Methyl	OCH ₃	OCH ₃	CH	S	O	
I-318	OC ₂ H ₅	Phenyl	Trifluoroethyl	CH ₃	CH ₃	CH	O	O	
I-319	ON(CH ₃) ₂	Phenyl	Benzyl	Cl	Cl	CH	O	O	
I-320	ON(CH ₃) ₂	Phenyl	2-Methoxyethyl	OCH ₃	OCH ₃	—O—CH ₂ —CH ₂ —	S	O	
I-321	OH	Phenyl	Phenyl	OCH ₃	OCH ₃	CH	O	O	
I-322	OH	Phenyl	Phenyl	OCH ₃	OCH ₃	—O—CH ₂ —CH ₂ —	O	O	
I-323	OH	Phenyl	Phenyl	OCH ₃	OCH ₃	N	O	O	
I-324	OH	Phenyl	Phenyl	OCH ₃	OCH ₃	CH	S	O	
I-325	OH	Phenyl	Phenyl	OCH ₃	OCH ₃	CH	S	S	
I-326	OH	Phenyl	Phenyl	OCH ₃	OCH ₃	CH	O	S	
I-327	OH	Phenyl	Phenyl	OCH ₃	OCH ₃	CH	O	O	
I-328	OH	Phenyl	Phenyl	OCH ₃	OCH ₃	CH	O	O	
I-329	OH	—(CH ₂) ₅ —	Phenyl	Phenyl	OCH ₃	CH	O	O	
I-330	OH	Phenyl	2-Thiazolyl	OCH ₃	OCH ₃	CH	O	O	
I-331	OCH ₃	2-Fluorophenyl	Phenyl	OCH ₃	OCH ₃	CH	O	O	
I-332	OC ₂ H ₅	3-Chlorophenyl	Phenyl	OCH ₃	OCH ₃	CH	O	O	
I-333	ON(CH ₃) ₂	4-Bromophenyl	Phenyl	OCH ₃	OCH ₃	N	O	O	
I-334	O—CH ₂ —CH	Phenyl	2-Fluorophenyl	CF ₃	CF ₃	CH	O	O	
I-335	OH	Phenyl	3-Chlorophenyl	OCH ₃	OCF ₃	CH	O	O	
I-336	OCH ₃	Phenyl	4-Bromophenyl	OCH ₃	CH ₃	CH	O	O	
I-337	OC ₂ H ₅	Phenyl	4-Thiazolyl	OCH ₃	Cl	CH	S	O	
I-338	ON(CH ₃) ₂	Phenyl	Phenyl	OCH ₃	OCH ₃	CH	O	O	
I-339	ON=C(CH ₃) ₂	3-Methoxyphenyl	Phenyl	OCH ₃	OCH ₃	CH	O	O	
I-340	OH	Phenyl	Phenyl	OCH ₃	OCH ₃	CH	O	O	
I-341	OH	4-Fluorophenyl	Methyl	OCH ₃	—CH ₂ —CH ₂ —CH ₂ —C	CH	O	O	168(decomp.)
I-342	OH	4-Fluorophenyl	Methyl	OCH ₃	—CH ₂ —CH ₂ —CH ₂ —C	CH	O	O	
I-343	NH—SO—C ₆ H ₅	4-Nitrophenyl	Phenyl	OCH ₃	OCH ₃	—O—CH ₂ —CH ₂ —	O	O	
I-344	OCH ₃	Phenyl	3-Imidazolyl	OCH ₃	CF ₃	N	O	O	
I-345	OC ₂ H ₅	Phenyl	4-Imidazolyl	OCH ₃	OCF ₃	N	S	O	
I-346	ON(CH ₃) ₂	Phenyl	2-Pyrazolyl	OCH ₃	CH ₃	N	O	O	
I-347	ON=C(CH ₃) ₂	2-Hydroxyphenyl	Phenyl	OCH ₃	CH ₃	N	O	O	

TABLE I-continued



No.	R ¹	R ⁴ , R ⁵	R ⁶	R ²	R ³	X	Y	Z	m.p. [° C.]
I-348	NH-SO ₂ -C ₆ H ₅	3-Trifluoromethylphenyl	Phenyl	OCH ₃	Cl	N	O	O	
I-349	NHPhenyl	4-Dimethylaminophenyl	Phenyl	OCH ₃	OCH ₃	CH	S	O	
I-350	ONa	Phenyl	Phenyl	OCH ₃	OCH ₃	CH	S	S	
I-351	O-CH ₂ -C≡C	Phenyl	Phenyl	OCH ₃	OCH ₃	N	S	S	
I-352	OH	Phenyl	Phenyl	CF ₃	CF ₃	CH	O	S	
I-353	OCH ₃	Phenyl	Phenyl	OCF ₃	OCF ₃	CH	O	O	
I-354	OC ₂ H ₅	Phenyl	2-Dimethylaminophenyl	CH ₃	CH ₃	CH	O	O	
I-355	ON(CH ₃) ₂	Phenyl	3-Hydroxyphenyl	Cl	Cl	CH	O	O	
I-356	ON=C(CH ₃) ₂	Phenyl	4-Trifluoromethylphenyl	OCH ₃	-O-CH ₂ -CH ₂ -	CH	S	O	
I-357	NH-SO ₂ -C ₆ H ₅	Phenyl	2-Oxazolyl	OCH ₃	CF ₃	N	S	S	
I-358	OH	Phenyl	Methyl	CH ₃	CH ₃	CH	O	O	
I-359	OH	Cyclohexyl	Methyl	OCH ₃	OCH ₃	CH	O	O	
I-360	OH	Cyclohexyl	Methyl	OCH ₃	CH ₃	CH	O	O	
I-361	OH	Phenyl	Methyl	N(CH ₃) ₂	CH ₂ -CH ₂ -CH ₂ -C	CH	O	O	
I-362	OH	Phenyl	Methyl	OCH ₃	CH	CH	O	SO ₂	
I-363	OH	Phenyl	Methyl	OCH ₃	OCH ₃	CH	O	SO ₂	
I-364	OH	3-F-Phenyl	Me	OMe	OMe	CH	O	O	
I-365	OH	3-F-Phenyl	Me	OMe	CH ₂ -CH ₂ -CH ₂ -C	CH ₂ -CH ₂ -CH ₂ -C	O	O	142-143
I-366	OH	4-F-Phenyl	Me	OMe	OMe	CH ₂ -CH ₂ -CH ₂ -C	O	O	191° C.
I-367	OH	3-MeO-Phenyl	Me	OMe	CH ₂ -CH ₂ -CH ₂ -C	CH ₂ -CH ₂ -CH ₂ -C	O	O	158-161 (decomp.)
I-368	OH	3-MeO-Phenyl	Me	OMe	OMe	CH	O	O	
I-369	OH	3-MeO-Phenyl	Me	OMe	OMe	CH ₂ -CH ₂ -CH ₂ -C	O	O	
I-370	OH	Phenyl	HO-CH ₂ -CH ₂	OMe	OMe	CH ₂ -CH ₂ -CH ₂ -C	O	O	
I-371	OH	Phenyl	Me	NMe ₂	NMe ₂	N	O	O	181
I-372	OH	Phenyl	Me	OMe	OMe	N	O	O	
I-373	OH	Phenyl	Me	OMe	OMe	CH	O	O	
I-374	NH-SO ₂ -Phenyl	Phenyl	Me	OMe	OMe	CH	O	O	
I-375	NH-SO ₂ -Me	Phenyl	Me	OMe	OMe	CH	O	O	
I-376	CH ₂ -SO ₂ -Phenyl	Phenyl	Me	OMe	OMe	CH	O	O	
I-377	CH ₂ -SO ₂ -Me	Phenyl	Me	OMe	OMe	CH	O	O	
I-378	-CN	Phenyl	Me	OMe	OMe	CH	O	O	
I-379	Tetrazol[d sic]	Phenyl	Me	OMe	OMe	CH	O	O	
I-380	NH-SO ₂ -Phenyl	Phenyl	Me	OMe	OMe	CH	O	O	167
I-381	N-Methyltetrazole [sic]	Phenyl	Me	OMe	OMe	CH	O	O	
I-382	ONa	Phenyl	Me	OMe	-O-CH ₂ -CH ₂ -C-	CH ₂ -CH ₂ -C-	O	O	122-139(zers.)
I-383	OH	o-F-Phenyl	Me	OMe	-O-CH ₂ -CH ₂ -C-	CH ₂ -CH ₂ -C-	O	O	140-144 (decomp.)

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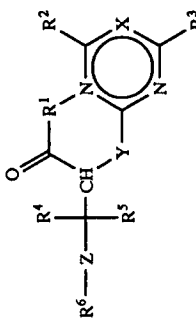
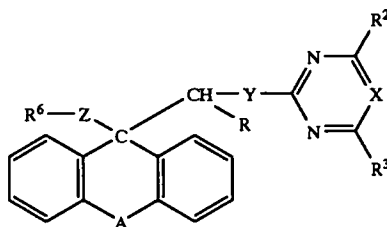
No.	R ¹	R ⁴ , R ⁵	R ⁶		R ²	R ³	X	Y	Z	m.p.[° C.]
I-384	OH	m-Me-Phenyl	Me		OMe	OMe	CH	O	O	169-177
I-385	OH	m-Me-Phenyl	Me		OMe	OMe	-O-CH ₂ -CH ₂ -C-	O	O	119-135 (decomp.)
I-386	OH	p-F-Phenyl	Me		OMe	Me	CH	O	O	137-140 (decomp.)
I-387	OH	m-F-Phenyl	Me		Me		-O-CH ₂ -CH ₂ -C-	O	O	150-152
I-388	OH	p-F-Phenyl	Me		Me		-O-CH ₂ -CH ₂ -C-	O	O	169-170

TABLE II



No.	R ¹	A	R ⁶	R ²	R ³	X	Y	Z	m.p. [° C.]
II-1	OH	Bond	Methyl	OMe	OMe	CH	O	O	96-98
II-2	OH	CH ₂	Methyl	OMe	OMe	CH	O	O	
II-3	OH	CH ₂ -CH ₂	Methyl	OMe	OMe	CH	O	O	
II-4	OH	CH=CH	Methyl	OMe	OMe	CH	O	O	
II-5	OH	O	Methyl	OMe	OMe	CH	O	O	
II-6	OH	S	Methyl	OMe	OMe	CH	O	O	
II-7	OH	NH(CH ₃)	Methyl	OMe	OMe	CH	O	O	
II-8	OH	Bond	Isopropyl	OMe	OMe	CH	O	O	137-139
II-9	OH	Bond	p-Isopropylphenyl	OMe	OMe	CH	O	O	
II-10	OH	Bond	Benzyl	OMe	OMe	CH	O	O	
II-11	OH	CH=CH	Ethyl	OMe	OMe	CH	O	O	
II-12	OH	CH=CH	(CH ₃) ₂ -CH ₂ -CH ₂	OMe	OMe	CH	O	O	
II-13	OH	CH=CH	Cyclopropylmethylene [sic]	OMe	OMe	CH	O	O	
II-14	OH	CH=CH	Methyl	OMe	O-CH ₂ -CH ₂ -C		O	O	
II-15	OH	CH ₂ -CH ₂	Ethyl	OMe	O-CH=CH-C		O	O	
II-16	OH	CH ₂ =CH ₂	Methyl	OMe	CH ₂ -CH ₂ -CH ₂ -C		O	O	
II-17	OH	Bond	Methyl	OMe	CH ₂ -CH ₂ -CH ₂ -C		O	O	147

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We claim:

1. A compound of the formula I

Receptor binding data were measured by the binding assay described above for the compounds listed below. The results are shown in Table 2 [sic].

TABLE 2 [sic]

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Receptor binding data (K_i values)

Compound	ET _A [nM]	ET _B [nM]
I-2	6	34
I-29	86	180
I-5	12	160
I-4	7	2500
I-87	1	57
I-89	86	9300
I-103	0.4	29
I-107	3	485
I-12	19	1700
I-26	23	2000
I-23	209	1100
I-47	150	1500
I-60	33	970
I-96	0.6	56
II-3	107	7300
II-1	28	2300

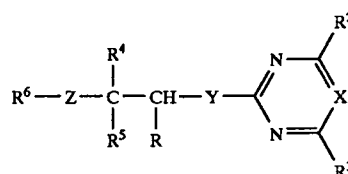
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(I)

where R is formyl, tetrazole, nitrile, a COOH group or a radical which can be hydrolyzed to COOH, and the other substituents have the following meanings:

R² hydrogen, hydroxyl, NH₂, NH(C₁-C₄-alkyl), N(C₁-C₄-alkyl)₂, halogen, C₁-C₄-alkyl, C₁-C₄-haloalkyl, C₁-C₄-alkoxy, C₁-C₄-haloalkoxy or C₁-C₄-alkylthio;

R³ hydrogen, hydroxyl, NH₂, NH(C₁-C₄-alkyl), N(C₁-C₄-alkyl)₂, halogen, C₁-C₄-alkyl, C₁-C₄-haloalkyl, C₁-C₄-alkoxy, C₁-C₄-haloalkoxy, NH-O-C₁-C₄-alkyl, C₁-C₄-alkylthio or CR¹⁴ as indicated above to give a 5- or 6-membered ring;

R⁴ and R⁵, which can be identical or different, are phenyl or naphthyl, which can be substituted by one or more of the following radicals: halogen, nitro, cyano, hydroxyl, C₁-C₄-alkyl, C₁-C₄-haloalkyl, C₁-C₄-alkoxy, C₁-C₄-haloalkoxy, phenoxy, C₁-C₄-alkylthio, amino, C₁-C₄-alkylamino or C₁-C₄-dialkylamino; or phenyl or naphthyl, which are connected together in the ortho position via a direct linkage, a methylene, ethylene or ethenylene group, an oxygen or sulfur atom or an SO₂, NH or N-alkyl group; or C₃-C₇-cycloalkyl;

R⁶ hydrogen, C₁-C₈-alkyl, C₃-C₆-alkenyl, C₃-C₆-alkynyl or C₃-C₈-cycloalkyl, where each of these radi-

cals can be substituted one or more times by: halogen, nitro, cyano, C₁-C₄-alkoxy, C₃-C₆-alkenyloxy, C₃-C₆-alkynyloxy, C₁-C₄-alkylthio, C₁-C₄-haloalkoxy, C₁-C₄-alkylcarbonyl, C₁-C₄-alkoxycarbonyl, C₃-C₆-alkylcarbonylalkyl, C₁-C₄-alkylamino, di-C₁-C₄-alkylamino, phenyl or phenoxy which is substituted one or more times by halogen, nitro, cyano, C₁-C₄-alkyl, C₁-C₄-haloalkyl, C₁-C₄-alkoxy, C₁-C₄-haloalkoxy or C₁-C₄-alkylthio; phenyl or naphthyl, each of which can be substituted by one or more of the following radicals: halogen, nitro, cyano, hydroxyl, amino, C₁-C₄-alkyl, C₁-C₄-haloalkyl, C₁-C₄-alkoxy, C₁-C₄-haloalkoxy, phenoxy, C₁-C₄-alkylthio, C₁-C₄-alkylamino, C₁-C₄-dialkylamino or dioxomethylene or dioxoethylene;

a five or six-membered heteroaromatic moiety containing one to three nitrogen atoms and/or one sulfur or oxygen atom, which can carry one to four halogen atoms and/or one or two of the following radicals: C₁-C₄-alkyl, C₁-C₄-haloalkyl, C₁-C₄-alkoxy, C₁-C₄-haloalkoxy, C₁-C₄-alkylthio, phenyl, phenoxy or phenylcarbonyl, it being possible for the phenyl radicals in turn to carry one to five halogen atoms and/or one to three of the following radicals: C₁-C₄-alkyl, C₁-C₄-haloalkyl, C₁-C₄-alkoxy, C₁-C₄-haloalkoxy and/or C₁-C₄-alkylthio;

Y sulfur or oxygen or a single bond;

Z sulfur, oxygen, —SO— or —SO₂—.

2. The compound of the formula I as defined in claim 1, wherein X is CR¹⁴ and R¹⁴ is hydrogen.

3. The compound of the formula I as defined in claim 2, wherein R is CO₂H.

4. The compound of the formula I as defined in claim 2, wherein R² and R³ each is methoxy.

5. The compound of the formula I as defined in claim 2, wherein R⁴ and R⁵ each is phenyl.

6. The compound of the formula I as defined in claim 2, wherein R⁶ is C₁-C₈-alkyl.

7. The compound of the formula I as defined in claim 2, wherein Y is oxygen.

8. The compound of the formula I as defined in claim 2, wherein Z is oxygen or sulfur.

9. The compound of the formula I as defined in claim 8, wherein Z is oxygen.

10. The compound of the formula I as defined in claim 1, wherein

X is CH,

Y is oxygen,

Z is oxygen,

R is CO₂H,

R² is methoxy,

R³ is methoxy,

R⁴ is phenyl,

R⁵ is phenyl,

R⁶ is methyl, ethyl or iso-propyl.

11. The compound of the formula I as defined in claim 1, wherein R is tetrazole, nitrile or a group



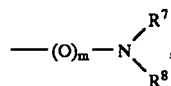
where R¹ has the following meanings:

a) hydrogen;

b) succinylimidoxy;

c) a five-membered heteroaromatic ring linked by a nitrogen atom, selected from the group consisting of: pyrrolyl, pyrazolyl, imidazolyl and triazolyl, which ring can carry one or two halogen atoms and or one or two of the following radicals: C₁-C₄-alkyl, C₁-C₄-haloalkyl, C₁-C₄-alkoxy, C₁-C₄-haloalkoxy or C₁-C₄-alkylthio;

d) a radical



where m is 0 or 1 and R⁷ and R⁸, which can be identical or different, have the following meanings:

hydrogen,

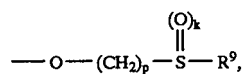
C₁-C₈-alkyl, C₃-C₆-alkenyl, C₃-C₆-alkynyl, C₃-C₈-cycloalkyl, where these alkyl, cycloalkyl, alkenyl and alkynyl groups can each carry one to five halogen atoms and/or one or two of the following groups: C₁-C₄-alkyl, C₁-C₄-alkoxy, C₁-C₄-alkylthio, C₁-C₄-haloalkoxy, C₃-C₆-alkenyloxy, C₃-C₆-alkenylthio, C₃-C₆-alkynyloxy or C₃-C₆-alkynylthio,

C₁-C₄-alkylcarbonyl, C₁-C₄-alkoxycarbonyl, C₃-C₆-alkenylcarbonyl, C₃-C₆-alkynylcarbonyl, C₃-C₆-alkenyloxy carbonyl or C₃-C₆-alkynyloxy carbonyl, phenyl, which can be substituted one or more times by halogen, nitro, cyano, C₃-C₆-alkenylcarbonyl, C₃-C₆-alkynylcarbonyl, C₁-C₄-alkyl, C₁-C₄-haloalkyl, C₁-C₄-alkoxy, C₁-C₄-haloalkoxy or C₁-C₄-alkylthio,

di-C₁-C₄-alkylamino, or

R⁷ and R⁸ together form a C₄-C₇-alkylene chain which can be substituted by C₁-C₄-alkyl, and may contain a hetero atom selected from the group consisting of oxygen, sulfur and nitrogen, or R⁷ and R⁸ together form a CH₂-CH=CH-CH₂ or CH=CH-(CH₂)₃ chain;

e) a radical



where k is 0, 1 and 2, p is 1, 2, 3 and 4, and R⁹ is C₁-C₄-alkyl, C₁-C₄-haloalkyl, C₃-C₆-alkenyl, C₃-C₆-alkynyl or phenyl, which can be substituted one or more times by halogen, nitro, cyano, C₃-C₆-alkenylcarbonyl, C₃-C₆-alkynylcarbonyl, C₁-C₄-alkyl, C₁-C₄-haloalkyl, C₁-C₄-alkoxy, C₁-C₄-haloalkoxy or C₁-C₄-alkylthio;

f) a radical OR¹⁰, where R¹⁰ is

hydrogen, the cation of an alkali metal or an alkaline earth metal or an environmentally compatible organic ammonium ion;

C₃-C₈-cycloalkyl which may carry one to three C₁-C₄-alkyl groups;

C₁-C₈-alkyl which may carry one to five halogen atoms and/or one of the following radicals: C₁-C₄-alkoxy, C₁-C₄-alkylthio, cyano, C₁-C₄-alkylcarbonyl, C₃-C₈-cycloalkyl, C₁-C₄-alkoxycarbonyl, phenyl, phenoxy or phenylcarbonyl, where the aromatic radicals in turn may carry one to

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five halogen atoms and/or one to three of the following radicals: nitro, cyano, C₁-C₄-alkyl, C₁-C₄-haloalkyl, C₁-C₄-alkoxy, C₁-C₄-haloalkoxy and/or C₁-C₄-alkylthio;

C₁-C₈-alkyl which may carry one to five halogen atoms and which carries one of the following radicals: a 5-membered heteroaromatic ring containing one to three nitrogen atoms or a nitrogen atom and an oxygen or sulfur atom, which may carry one to four halogen atoms and/or one or two of the following radicals: nitro, cyano, C₁-C₄-alkyl, C₁-C₄-haloalkyl, C₁-C₄-alkoxy, phenyl, C₁-C₄-haloalkoxy and/or C₁-C₄-alkylthio;

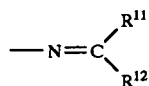
C₂-C₆-alkyl which carries one of the following radicals in position 2: C₁-C₄-alkoxyimino, C₃-C₆-alkynyloxyimino, C₃-C₆-haloalkenyloxyimino or benzyloxyimino;

C₃-C₆-alkenyl or C₃-C₆-alkynyl which may carry one to five halogen atoms;

phenyl which may carry one to five halogen atoms and/or one to three of the following radicals: nitro, cyano, C₁-C₄-alkyl, C₁-C₄-haloalkyl, C₁-C₄-alkoxy, C₁-C₄-haloalkoxy and/or C₁-C₄-alkylthio;

a 5-membered heteroaromatic ring which is bonded via a nitrogen atom and containing one to three nitrogen atoms, which may carry one or two halogen atoms and or one or two of the following radicals: C₁-C₄-alkyl, C₁-C₄-haloalkyl, C₁-C₄-alkoxy, phenyl, C₁-C₄-haloalkoxy and/or C₁-C₄-alkylthio;

a radical

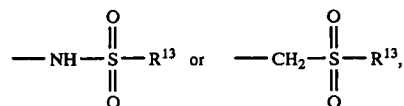


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where R¹ and R¹², which may be identical or different are:

C₁-C₈-alkyl, C₃-C₆-alkenyl, C₃-C₆-alkynyl, C₃-C₈-cycloalkyl, it being possible for these radicals to carry a C₁-C₄-alkoxy, C₁-C₄-alkylthio and/or phenyl which may carry one to five halogen atoms and/or one to three of the following radicals: nitro, cyano, C₁-C₄-alkyl, C₁-C₄-haloalkyl, C₁-C₄-alkoxy, C₁-C₄-haloalkoxy and/or C₁-C₄-alkylthio; phenyl which may carry one or more of the following radicals: halogen, nitro, cyano, C₁-C₄-alkyl, C₁-C₄-haloalkyl, C₁-C₄-alkoxy, C₁-C₄-haloalkoxy or C₁-C₄-alkylthio; or R¹¹ and R¹² together form a C₃-C₁₂-alkylene chain which may carry one to three C₁-C₄-alkyl groups and which may contain a hetero atom selected from the group consisting of nitrogen, oxygen and sulfur;

g) a radical



where R¹³ is

C₁-C₄-alkyl, C₃-C₆-alkenyl, C₃-C₆-alkynyl, C₃-C₈-cycloalkyl, it being possible for these radicals to carry a C₁-C₄-alkoxy, C₁-C₄-alkylthio and/or a phenyl radical, or

phenyl which may carry one or more of the following radicals: halogen, nitro, cyano, C₁-C₄-alkyl, C₁-C₄-haloalkyl, C₁-C₄-alkoxy, C₁-C₄-haloalkoxy or C₁-C₄-alkylthio.

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Sir:

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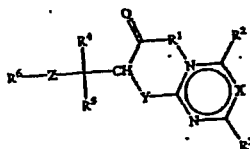
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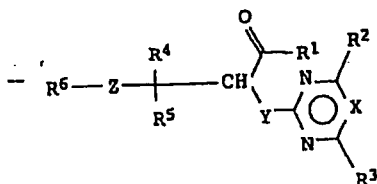
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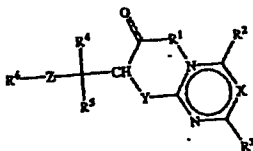
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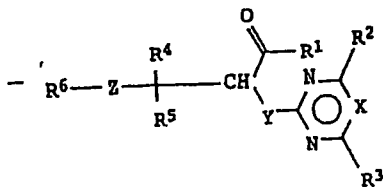
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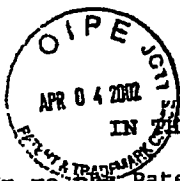
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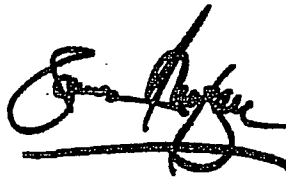
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Central Document Room
Center for Drug Evaluation and Research
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Subject: **Investigational New Drug Application** **Serial No. 000**
 BSF 208075 for Pulmonary Arterial Hypertension **(Initial Submission)**

Dear Sir or Madam:

On behalf of Myogen, Inc., Quintiles, Inc. is submitting with this correspondence an initial Investigational New Drug Application (IND) for a new chemical entity, BSF 208075, an ETA selective endothelin receptor antagonist, being investigated in patients with pulmonary arterial hypertension. In accordance with 21 CFR Part 312 this thirty volume IND is submitted in triplicate.


To aid in the evaluation of the application, Section 10 of this IND contains additional information regarding communication with the Division of Cardio-Renal Drug Products that took place previously under IND 63,412. This includes a summary of the actions taken by Myogen in response to the Division's recommendations and copies of correspondence and meeting minutes that discussed the investigation of BSF 208075 for the indication of pulmonary arterial hypertension. In addition, Section 11 of this IND contains a copy of the informed consent form for protocol AMB-220, which is submitted in Section 6.

Also, please find enclosed for submission a letter from Myogen, Inc. transferring the responsibility as US Agent and Authorized Representative to Quintiles, Inc.; a letter from Quintiles accepting the transfer of responsibility; and an official Transfer of US Regulatory Obligations form delineating the duties being transferred.

Any questions concerning this Investigational New Drug Application should be directed to:

Marguerite Enlow, Pharm.D., RAC
Associate Regulatory Director,
Regulatory and Technical Services
Quintiles, Inc.
P.O. Box 9708
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Sincerely,


Cynthia Kirk, Ph.D., RAC
Executive Director
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June 3, 2002

Innovative therapies
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Myogen



Douglas Throckmorton, M.D.
Director, Division of Cardio-Renal Drug Products
Center for Drug Evaluation and Research (HFD-110)
Food and Drug Administration

Subject: BSF-208075
Selective Endothelin Receptor Antagonist
For Pulmonary Arterial Hypertension

General Correspondence:
Transfer of responsibility as
US Agent and Authorized
Representative

Dear Dr. Throckmorton:

Effective June 3, 2002, Myogen, Inc. is authorizing Quintiles, Inc., Kansas City, MO to act as its U.S. Agent and Authorized Representative for BSF 208075, an ETA Selective Endothelin Receptor Antagonist, being investigated in patients with pulmonary arterial hypertension. The duties to be performed by Quintiles, Inc. are:

- Submission of the IND
- Verbal and written interaction with the FDA
- Conduct of meetings with the FDA
- Submission of the IND annual reports
- Submission of IND amendments
- General IND maintenance

The contact person at Quintiles, Inc., is:

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If you have any questions regarding the above information, please do not hesitate to contact me at Myogen, Inc., 7577 West 103rd Ave. #212, Westminster, CO 80021-5426, telephone (303) 464-5221.

Sincerely,

J. William Freytag
President, CEO and Chairman
Myogen, Inc.



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Douglas Throckmorton, M.D.
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**Subject: BSF 208075
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**General Correspondence:
Acceptance of responsibility
as US Agent and Authorized
Representative**

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TRANSFER OF US FDA REGULATORY OBLIGATIONS FOR INVESTIGATIONAL
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APPLICATION (21 CFR 312.52)

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Sponsor:	Myogen	Project Code/ Work Order Number:	Not Assigned
Product Name:	BSF 208075	IND Number:	Not Available
Indication:	Pulmonary Arterial Hypertension	Protocol Number:	All protocols

Responsibility	21 CFR Reference	Obligation Assigned to:	
		Sponsor	Quintiles
A. 1. Preparation of all or part of an IND application	312.23	X	X
2. Submission of IND application to FDA		<input type="checkbox"/>	X
B. Maintain an IND with the following amendments, as necessary:			
1. Preparation of Protocol amendments (includes new protocols, changes in protocols, adding new investigators)	312.30	X	<input type="checkbox"/>
2. Preparation of Chemistry, Manufacturing, and Control amendments	312.31	X	<input type="checkbox"/>
3. Preparation of Pharmacology and Toxicology amendments	312.31	X	<input type="checkbox"/>
4. Preparation of Clinical amendments	312.31	X	<input type="checkbox"/>
5. Safety Reports	312.32		
(a) Preparation of initial report		X	<input type="checkbox"/>
(b) Preparation of follow-up reports		X	<input type="checkbox"/>
(c) Notifications to FDA (phone/fax or written)		<input type="checkbox"/>	X
(d) Notifications to investigators		X	<input type="checkbox"/>
6. Preparation of Annual Reports	312.33	X	X
7. Preparation of response to request for information or clinical hold	312.41, 42	X	X
8. Preparation of letter to withdraw an IND	312.38	X	X
9. Act as IND agent; submit all amendments to FDA	312.23 -42	<input type="checkbox"/>	X
C. Selecting investigators and monitors	312.53		
1. Select qualified investigators ¹	312.53 (a)	X	<input type="checkbox"/>
2. Control of drug ¹			
(a) Approve drug shipment after review of required information from investigator (including signed Form FDA 1572, CV)	312.53 (c)	X	<input type="checkbox"/>
(b) Ship drug to approved investigators	312.53 (b)	<input type="checkbox"/>	X
3. Provide qualified monitors ¹	312.53 (d)	X	<input type="checkbox"/>

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4. Informing investigators ¹			
(a) Review with investigators their regulatory responsibilities	312.60 -.69	X	<input type="checkbox"/>
(b) Supply investigator's brochure	312.55 (a)	X	<input type="checkbox"/>
(c) Inform investigators of new safety information about the study drug	312.55 (b)	X	<input type="checkbox"/>
D. Review of ongoing investigations	312.56		
1. Monitoring the investigation (includes ensuring that investigator is complying with all commitments in Section 9 of the signed Form FDA-1572) ¹	312.56(a)	X	<input type="checkbox"/>
2. Discontinue investigator participation if not compliant ¹ Note: If the sponsor does not discontinue an investigator who Quintiles believes to be significantly non-compliant, Quintiles will request a complete transfer of regulatory obligation for that site back to the sponsor.	312.56(b)	X	<input type="checkbox"/>
3. Initial evaluation of all adverse events ¹	312.56 (c)	X	<input type="checkbox"/>
4. Upon discontinuation of a study ¹ :	312.56 (d)		
(a) Notify FDA		<input type="checkbox"/>	X
(b) Notify IRBs and investigators		X	<input type="checkbox"/>
(b) Assure disposition of drug from sites to sponsor		X	<input type="checkbox"/>
E. Recordkeeping and record retention	312.57		
1. Maintain sponsor records and reports for 2 years after study end or marketing application approved, for	312.57(a)(b)		
(a) Records of drug shipment and disposition		X	<input type="checkbox"/>
(b) All correspondence with sponsor, FDA, IRB, investigators		X	<input type="checkbox"/>
(c) Records concerning adverse effects		X	<input type="checkbox"/>
(d) Other records required by FDA		X	<input type="checkbox"/>
2. Retain reserve samples of test articles and reference standards used in bioequivalence or bioavailability studies	312.57 (c)	X	<input type="checkbox"/>
F. Disposition of unused supply of investigational drug	312.59		
1. Assure return of drug from site to sponsor ¹		X	<input type="checkbox"/>
2. Conduct final disposition or destruction of drug ¹		X	<input type="checkbox"/>
G. If requested by FDA, submission of sponsor's records and reports to FDA for inspection	312.58 (a)	X	X
H. Apply for FDA approval to export investigational drug if:	312.110	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
(a) Drug is not approved for marketing in any country, AND			
(b) Drug is not under an active IND, AND			
(c) Drug is not being exported to one of listed countries ²			
X Not applicable			
I. Represent sponsor in resolution of disputes with FDA	312.48	X	X
J. Obtain investigator financial disclosure information	[FR 2/2/98]	X	<input type="checkbox"/>

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² Listed countries: Australia, Canada, Israel, Japan, New Zealand, Switzerland, South Africa, and current member nations of the European Union and European Economic Area.

According to 21 CFR 312.52(b), "A contract research organization that assumes any obligation of a sponsor shall comply with the specific regulations in this chapter applicable to this obligation and shall be subject to the same regulatory action as a sponsor for failure to comply with any obligation assumed under these regulations." The assignment of responsibility does not preclude either the sponsor or the CRO from participating in the requirements of the CFR.

The sponsor hereby transfers to Quintiles, Inc. the responsibilities indicated above under the column titled "Obligation Assigned to QUINTILES," effective Jan 18 2002 (date).

Sponsor: MYOGEN

J. William Freytag
Signature

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Westminster, CO 80021

Dear Mr. Freytag:

We acknowledge receipt of your Investigational New Drug Application (IND) submitted under section 505(i) of the Federal Food, Drug, and Cosmetic Act. Please note the following identifying data:

IND Number Assigned: 64,915

Sponsor: Myogen, Inc.

Name of Drug: BSF 208075

Date of Submission: June 3, 2002

Date of Receipt: June 4, 2002

Studies in humans may not be initiated until 30 days after the date of receipt shown above. If, on or before July 3, 2002, we identify deficiencies in the IND that require correction before human studies begin or that require restriction of human studies, we will notify you immediately that (1) clinical studies may not be initiated under this IND ("clinical hold") or that (2) certain restrictions apply to clinical studies under this IND ("partial clinical hold"). In the event of such notification, you must not initiate or you must restrict such studies until you have submitted information to correct the deficiencies, and we have notified you that the information you submitted is satisfactory.

It has not been our policy to object to a sponsor, upon receipt of this acknowledgement letter, either obtaining supplies of the investigational drug or shipping it to investigators listed in the IND. However, if the drug is shipped to investigators, they should be reminded that studies may not begin under the IND until 30 days after the IND receipt date or later if the IND is placed on clinical hold.

As sponsor of this IND, you are responsible for compliance with the Federal Food, Drug, and Cosmetic Act and the implementing regulations (Title 21 of the Code of Federal Regulations). Those responsibilities include (1) reporting any unexpected fatal or life-threatening adverse experience associated with use of the drug by telephone or fax no later than 7 calendar days after initial receipt of the information [21 CFR 312.32(c)(2)]; (2) reporting any adverse experience associated with use of the drug that is both serious and unexpected in writing no later than 15 calendar days after initial receipt of the information [21 CFR 312.32(c)(1)]; and (3) submitting annual progress reports [21 CFR 312.33].

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Please forward all future communications concerning this IND in triplicate, identified by the above IND number, to either of the following addresses:

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If you have any questions, please call me at (301) 594-5333.

Sincerely yours,

Zelda McDonald
Regulatory Project Manager
Division of Cardio-Renal Drug Products
Office of Drug Evaluation I
Center for Drug Evaluation and Research

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DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH & HUMAN SERVICES

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Food and Drug Administration
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NDA 22-081

Gilead Colorado, Inc.
Attention: Ms. Linnea Tanner
Director, Regulatory Affairs
7575 West 103rd Ave., #102
Westminster, CO 80021-5426

Dear Ms. Tanner:

We have received your new drug application (NDA) submitted under section 505(b) of the Federal Food, Drug, and Cosmetic Act for the following:

Name of Drug Product: Letairis (ambrisentan) 5 and 10 mg Tablets

Date of Application: December 13, 2006

Date of Receipt: December 18, 2006

Our Reference Number: NDA 22-081

Unless we notify you within 60 days of the receipt date that the application is not sufficiently complete to permit a substantive review, we will file the application on February 16, 2007 in accordance with 21 CFR 314.101(a).

Please cite the NDA number listed above at the top of the first page of all submissions to this application. Send all submissions, electronic or paper, including those sent by overnight mail or courier, to the following address:

Food and Drug Administration
Center for Drug Evaluation and Research
Division of Cardiovascular and Renal Products
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If you have any questions, please contact:

Ms. Melissa Robb
Regulatory Health Project Manager
(301) 796-1138

Sincerely,

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Edward Fromm
Chief, Project Management Staff
Division of Cardiovascular and Renal Products
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REGULATORY REVIEW PERIOD ACTIVITIES

The table below summarizes representative formal submissions and contacts between the drug sponsor and FDA throughout the regulatory review period. The table is not comprehensive as to every event corresponding to a given type of submission, nor does it reflect regular email and telephone contacts throughout the regulatory review period to discuss upcoming submissions and provide preliminary information. Following the table below is a more comprehensive list of regulatory review activities.

2002-06-03	Initial submission date of IND No. 64,915
2002-06-04	Receipt date of IND No. 64,915
2002-06-28	Revised informed consent form
2002-07-17	Updated information for drug substance and drug product
2002-08-30	Clinical protocol amendment
2002-10-29	Response to request for information – CMC
2002-11-06	Information amendment: clinical
2002-12-09	Response to request for information: 26 wk. animal toxicity studies
2003-01-02	Rationale & study summary for additional long-term protocol
2003-01-13	Response to request for additional information regarding IND
2003-01-14	Response to request re safety monitoring plans for clinical trial
2003-02-07	Protocol amendment: new protocol
2003-03-05	IND 15-Day ADR Report
2003-03-11	Investigator notification of IND safety report for elevated liver function tests
2003-04-01	Duration of chronic toxicity study
2003-05-02	IND safety report: follow-up
2003-05-15	Type B meeting request
2003-05-15	Fax requesting End of Phase II meeting
2003-08-05	Information package for 27 August 2003 meeting
2003-08-27	End of Phase II meeting with FDA
2003-10-08	New Phase III protocols
2003-12-02	Change in clinical protocol
2003-12-18	Request for special protocol assessment 2-year mouse carcinogenicity protocol
2004-02-13	Information amendment
2004-03-17	Pharmacology-toxicology 2-Year rat and mouse final protocols

2004-03-25	Type C meeting request
2004-05-06	Protocol amendments
2004-05-27	Orphan drug application: amendment
2004-08-09	Type C meeting request to discuss proposed changes to the ambrisentan program
2004-08-27	Initial written report: 15-day safety alert report
2004-09-27	Type C meeting information package
2004-10-13	Meeting
2004-12-07	Information amendment: pharmacology/toxicology: 2-year rat and mouse carcinogenicity
2005-02-15	New protocol
2005-03-09	Information amendment: pharmacology/toxicology: 2-year rat and mouse carcinogenicity studies
2005-04-05	Response to request for information
2005-04-12	Protocol amendment
2005-05-24	Converting ARIES-2 study sites to ARIES-1
2005-08-04	Information amendment: Chemistry, Manufacturing and Controls
2005-08-22	Data analysis plan for FDA feedback
2005-08-22	Fax re 7 day safety report - initial manufacturer's report
2005-08-25	IND safety reports
2005-09-07	Request for FDA review of QT/QTc study proposal
2005-09-12	Type C meeting request: development plan for biopharmaceutics and clinical pharmacology
2005-10-04	Information amendment: Chemistry, Manufacturing, and Controls
2005-10-04	IND safety report: follow-up to a written report
2005-10-13	Meeting re PK and clinical pharmacology
2005-10-18	New protocol and new investigator
2005-10-19	Teleconference re data analysis plans
2005-11-04	New protocol and new investigator
2005-11-07	Response to FDA comments on QT/QTc study design
2005-11-11	Protocol amendment: change in protocol
2005-11-11	Information amendment: pharmacology/toxicology 2-year rat and mouse carcinogenicity studies
2005-11-29	Data analysis plans
2005-11-29	Information amendment: pharmacology/toxicology
2005-11-30	Data analysis plan for population pharmacokinetic modeling
2005-11-30	Protocol: new protocol and new investigator
2005-11-30	Data analysis plans

2005-12-15	Teleconference re PK/PD development plans
2005-12-19	IND safety report: initial written report
2005-12-19	Protocol amendment: new protocol and new investigators
2006-01-09	IND safety report: follow-up to a written report
2006-01-13	Protocol amendment: change in protocol
2006-01-16	IND safety report: follow-up to a written report
2006-01-23	Protocol amendment: change in protocol
2006-01-27	IND safety report: follow-up to a written report
2006-02-09	Request for fast track designation
2006-02-21	Response to IND correspondence
2006-03-02	IND safety report: follow-up to a written report
2006-03-08	Type B meeting request: Pre-NDA
2006-03-15	Requirements and format of NDA
2006-03-23	Information amendment: pharmacology/toxicology
2006-04-19	Information amendment: pharmacology/toxicology
2006-04-21	Pre-NDA briefing document
2006-04-27	IND safety report: initial written report
2006-05-04	Information amendment: pharmacology/toxicology
2006-05-08	Response to FDA comments
2006-05-17	Type B meeting request: pre-NDA CMC
2006-05-19	Pre-NDA meeting
2006-05-26	IND safety report: follow-up to a written report
2006-06-02	IND safety report: initial written report
2006-06-14	Request feedback on non-clinical NDA format and content
2006-06-15	Information amendment: clinical CSR's
2006-06-28	CMC pre-NDA information package
2006-07-06	IND safety report: initial and follow-up written safety report
2006-07-26	Pre-NDA CMC meeting
2006-10-06	CMC- proposed commercial dissolution method
2006-10-13	Proposal for 4-month safety update
2006-10-30	IND safety report: follow-up to a written report
2006-11-07	IND safety report: follow-up to a written report
2006-11-28	IND safety report: follow-up to a written report
2006-12-07	Transfer of sponsorship
2006-12-13	Submission of NDA No. 22-081
2006-12-18	Receipt of NDA No. 22-081
2007-01-09	Teleconference

2007-01-18	Response to letter re submission of complete CRF's and filing process
2007-01-19	Telephone call regarding inspections at clinical sites that conducted Phase 3 studies
2007-01-22	Email regarding revised protocol document-presence of sponsors
2007-02-09	Teleconference re protocols for capturing lab values
2007-02-13	Response to questions on the distribution of ambrisentan and RiskMAP
2007-02-15	IND safety report: follow-up to a written report
2007-03-03	Request for meeting to discuss status of review of NDA 22-081. Update on Amendments submitted to NDA
2007-03-07	Unformatted prescribing information; option to resolve formatting
2007-03-20	FDA site inspection
2007-03-20	Response regarding request for efficacy & safety datasets
2007-03-21	IND safety report: initial written report
2007-03-22	Protocol amendment: change to protocol
2007-03-29	90-day teleconference
2007-04-03	Request for Meeting to discuss dosing interval
2007-04-10	Protocol amendment: new protocol and new investigator
2007-04-16	Response to questions regarding dissolution profiles
2007-04-19	Population pharmacokinetic (PK) data analysis plan (DAP) amendment
2007-04-19	Response to questions regarding bioanalytical assay issues
2007-04-23	Response regarding randomization
2007-04-24	Protocol amendment: change to protocol
2007-04-30	IND safety report: follow up to a written safety report
2007-05-02	Protocol amendment. New protocol and new investigator
2007-05-04	DDMAC promotional materials. Request for perspective review and advisory comments for product launch materials
2007-05-08	Protocol amendment: change to protocol
2007-05-25	IND safety report: follow up to a written safety report
2007-05-25	Meeting
2007-05-31	Proposed pediatric study request
2007-05-31	IND safety report: follow-up to a written report
2007-06-07	Protocol amendment: new investigators
2007-06-07	IND safety report: follow-up to a written report
2007-06-15	Marketing approval letter for NDA 22-081



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1	Regulatory	US	5/18/2007	Temp 110	FDA Correspondence - Email	L. Tanner/D. Brum - Email with the 7-day Safety Report Documents attachment.	2007-05-18_64915_CORR_EMAIL_DBRUM_LTANNER.pdf	64,915
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1	Regulatory	US	9/28/2005	Book 52	FDA Correspondence - Letter	Letter from N. Stockbridge to L. Tanner regarding FDA Division comments on the Data Analysis Plan for AMB-321.	2005-09- 28_64915_CORR_LETTER_NSTOC KBRIDGE_LTANNER.pdf	64,915
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1	Regulatory	US	9/21/2005	Book 52	FDA Correspondence - Fax	Fax from M. Robb to L. Tanner. Subject: Confirmation of 11/08/2005 Teleconference.	2005-09- 21_64915_CORR_FAX_MROBB_LT ANNER.pdf	64,915

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1	Regulatory	US	9/19/2005	Book 52	FDA Correspondence - Phone call	Phone call T. Marshall/M. Robb. Subject: Follow-up to determine if Chemistry reviewer has any concerns regarding the drug substance IND update: IND 64,915, Serial No. 083, 4 Aug 05.	2005-09-19_64915_CORR_PHONE_TMARSHALL_MROBBB.pdf	64,915
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1	Regulatory	US	9/15/2005	Book 52	FDA Correspondence - Phone call	Phone called (1:30 p.m.) from L. Tanner to M. Robb regarding proposed Date for Type C Meeting PK/PD.	2005-09-15_64915_CORR_PHONE_LTANNE_R_ROBBM.pdf	64,915
1	Regulatory	US	9/15/2005	Book 52	FDA Correspondence - Phone call	Phone called (10:00 a.m.) from M. Robb to L. Tanner regarding proposed Date for Type C Meeting PK/PD.	2005-09-15_64915_CORR_PHONE_LTANNE_R_ROBBM_2.pdf	64,915
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1	Regulatory	US	9/7/2005	Book 52	FDA Submission - IND	Other: Request for FDA Review of QT/QTc Study Proposal. S-086	S-086	64,915

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1	Regulatory	US	8/31/2005	Book 52	FDA Correspondence - Email	Email from L. Weissberger to M. Robb regarding a summary of the QT/QTc evaluation proposing for Ambrisentan (64,915) and Darusentan (59,669).	2005-08- 31_64915_CORR_EMAIL_WEISSBE RGERL_ROBBM.pdf	64,915
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1	Regulatory	US	8/23/2005	Book 52	FDA Correspondence - Phone call	Phone call from M. Robb to L. Tanner. Subject: Clarify 7-day SAE Process for IND 63,412; Confirm FDA receipt of PDF file for Serial No. 084 (IND 64,915); Status of Serial No. 082 Food Effect (64, 915); Potential meeting PK/PD development plan (IND 64,915)	2005-08- 23_64915_CORR_PHONE_MROBB_ LTANNER.pdf	64,915
1	Regulatory	US	8/22/2005	Book 52	FDA Submission - IND	Other: Data Analysis Plan (AMB- 321) for FDA Feedback. S-084	S-084	64,915
1	Regulatory	US	8/22/2005	Book 52	FDA Correspondence - Phone call	Phone call from L. Tanner to M. Robb. Subject: Clarify 7-day SAE Process; Status of Serial No. 082 Food Effect; Notification of DAP Submission.	2005-08- 22_64915_CORR_PHONE_LTANNE R_MROBB.pdf	64,915
1	Regulatory	US	8/22/2005	Book 52	FDA Correspondence - Fax	Fax from L. Tanner to M. Robb. Subject: 7 Day Safety Report - Initial Manufacturer's Report No. 52505.	2005-08- 22_64915_CORR_FAX_LTANNER_ MROBB.pdf	64,915
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1	Regulatory	US	8/4/2005	Book 52	FDA Correspondence - Phone call	Phone call from T. Marshall to M.Robb. Left phone message. Subject: Informed Project Manager of Drug Substance CMC Information Amendment and Requested Feedback on Starting Materials.	2005-08-04_64915_CORR_PHONE_TMARSH_ALL_MROBB.pdf	64,915
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1	Regulatory	US	4/22/2005	Book 51	FDA Correspondence - Phone call	Call to discuss 2-yr. Carcinogenicity studies.	2005-04-22_64915_CORR_PHONE_LWEISS	64,915
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6. Add line 4 and line 5 and enter the total here	0		
7. Subtract line 6 from line 3 and enter the difference here (if less than zero enter 0)	1809		
8. Enter the number of days of the period of line 1 which occurred prior to the issue date of the patent		0	
9. Enter the number of days of the period of line 1 during which the applicant failed to act with due diligence as defined in 37 CFR 1.775(d)(1)(ii)		0	
10. Add line 8 and line 9 and enter the total here	0		
11. Subtract line 10 from line 7 and enter the difference here	1809		
12. Enter the number of days from line 1		1629	
13. Enter the number of days from line 10		0	
14. Subtract line 13 from line 12 and enter the difference here (if less than zero enter 0)		1629	
15. Multiply line 14 by 0.5 (one half) and enter the amount here	814		
16. Subtract line 15 from line 11 and enter the difference here (if less than zero enter 0)	995		
17. Enter the original expiration date of the patent		10.07.15	
18. Enter the expiration date of the patent if extended by the number of days on line 16		06.28.18	
19. Enter the date of the FDA (Food and Drug Administration) final approval		06.15.07	
20. Limitation set forth in 37 CFR 1.775(d)(3)		14 years	
21. Add the number of years on line 20 to the date on line 19 and enter the revised date here		06.15.21	
22. Enter the earlier date appearing on line 18 or line 21	06.28.18		
23. Enter the original expiration date of the patent (from line 17)		10.07.15	
24. Check one of the following three boxes and enter the listed time period here		5 years	
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> The patent issued after 24/9/84	5 Years	X	
<input type="checkbox"/> The patent issued prior to 24/9/84 and no request for exemption as defined in 37 CFR 1.775(d)(6)(i) was filed prior to 24/9/84	5 Years		
<input type="checkbox"/> The patent issued prior to 24/9/84 and an exemption as defined in 37 CFR 1.775(d)(6)(ii) was filed prior to 24/9/84	2 Years		
25. Add the number of years on line 24 to the date on line 23 and enter the revised date here		10.07.20	
26. Enter the earlier date appearing on line 22 or line 25	06.28.18		
27. Enter the original expiration date of the patent (from line 17)	10.07.15		
28. Enter the number of days by which line 26 and line 27 differ here This is the length of patent term extension	995		